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CRASH COMES TO

Two Firms Under Declines in Stocks. Failures Reach Into Millions.

Missouri Pacific Was Carried Down Nearly Five Points, and Some Specialties Reached Fifteen Points Off----General Liquidation Followed.

New York, August 5.—The suspension of the firm of Sharp & Bryan was announced on the Stock Exchange today.

Chas. S. Bryan, of the suspended firm was elected a member of the governing committee in the exchange at the last election.

The firm was organized July 2, 1891, the individual members being W. W. Sharp and Charles S. Bryan, both board members.

The office of the firm is at 25 Broad street, and they were known as specialists in Virginia-Carolina Chemical, United States Realty and Construction and Southern railway. The firm had a mercantile agency rating of from $200,000 to $300,000.

G. H. Sullivan, of the law firm of Sullivan and Cromwell, was made assignee of the suspended firm. It was announced that the assignee would make a statement as soon as it could be prepared.

Announcement of the suspension of Sharp and Bryan confirmed the fears which have been current in stock market circles for several days. It was accepted as explaining the sharp break in some of the specialties in which the failed firm had been interested. Their efforts to realize on these represented the struggle to extricate themselves and the lack of a market shown by the violent breaks which resulted left them no recourse but to suspend. The rally in the general market was checked but the reaction did not carry stocks back lower than before except Missouri Pacific and Pennsylvania.

The market became quiet but the tone was feverish. There was a break in Colorado & Southern first preferred of 3⅝. Southern Railway preferred of ¾, W. & L. E. first preferred 4⅞, and Chicago & Eastern Illinois certificates 10.

Virginia Carolina Chemical after rallying 2¼ reached again and became feverish.

Sharp & Bryan were prominent in operations on the curb. They were specialists in American Bridge, Northern Securities and Seaboard shares on the curb. The firm offered large lots of Seaboard shares for sale on the curb yesterday. The greater part of Sharp & Bryan's obligations on the exchange were liquidated yesterday and several banks and trust companies threw out their loans. In fact the greater part of yesterday's liquidation on the exchange was for Sharp and Bryan's account.

Mr. Cromwell, counsel for the assignee of Sharp & Bryan, made the following statement:

"The firm made the general assignment for the purpose of insuring equality among its creditors without preference. The cause is directly attributed to the sudden and extreme shrinkage in the market value of the securities of the firm. The liabilities, mostly secured, are about $5,000,000. The value of assets comprising almost exclusively stock exchange securities to the amount of several million dollars, is dependent on market conditions. Most of the creditors recognizing that present conditions are shortlived, are very fairly and wisely withholding their securities from sale."

An unofficial statement was made to the effect that the firm had no open contracts in the market and that at today's prices there was still a fair margin on their loans. It was added that if prices did not decline further the firm would be able to liquidate its assets on a satisfactory basis.

During the noon hour the market went off lower than before, with especial weakness in many of the high grade stocks. There was further liquidation in a number of issues such as General Electric and Consolidated Gas. According to reports, scores of accounts were thrown out by stock exchange brokers because the clients were unable to meet the dmand for extra margins.

There were successive spells of liquidation during the course of the day's session with feeble intervening rallies when the force of the selling seemd to relax. Th level of prices was carried somewhat lower by each successive outbreak of selling, the majority of active stocks touching new low levels for the year. The announcement of the second failure of the day of Hurlbutt, Hatch & Co., has been followed by a more distinct rally than on previous occasions, but it was not well held. The feature of the afternoon was the heavy liquidation in Missouri Pacific, which carried it down nearly 5 points. The selling was supposed to be for account of one of the suspended firms. Other notable breaks were American Snuff 15, Chicago and Eastern Illinois certificates 10, Pullman 7¾, Consolidated Gas 7½, General Electric 6½.

Hurlbutt & Hatch Go Up.

New York, Aug. 5.—Hurlbutt, Hatch & Company, members of the Stock Exchange, have failed.

The firm of Hurlbutt, Hatch & Co., was composed of John H. Hurlbutt, E. S. Hatch, a board member and J. F. Smith. The co-partnership was formed September 12, 1899.

New York, Aug. 5.—Opening prices ran off sharply all around on heavy offerings which were conspicuous in the Pacifics, Grangers and trunk lines. Atchison dropped 1 1-4, Canadian Pacific 1⅞, and Rock Island 1¾. Brooklyn Transit lost 1⅞, and New York Central, Union Pacific, Southern Railway, Copper and Consolidated Gas about a point. The Virginia-Carolina Chemical stocks fell 2½ each and general Electric 3. There were large blocks of United States steel offered, but the last only 1-4 and preferred after opening unchanged was lifted ⅝.

The opening prices were generally the lowest as vigorous supporting orders were in the market for the account of friends of various stocks. Very large offerings had to be taken by the supporting orders but their absorption relieved the tension of apprehension and the selling pressure relaxed.

Very general recoveries had been made by the leading active stocks within a half hour of the opening. Before the rally St. Paul lost 1⅛, Louisville Leather preferred 1½, Southern Railway preferred 2¾, Metropolitan Street Railway 1¾, Metropolitan Securities 2 and Virginia-Carolina Chemical 4. The principal support was in the United States Steel stocks lifting the common a point and the preferred 1⅜ over last night. Rock Island has gained 1¼. A large number of minor stocks suffered losses of a point or over in the opening breaks and snuff broke ¼. General Electric and Wheeling & L. E. first preferred 4½, Colorado & Southern second preferred 4, Continental Tobacco preferred 2⅞ and the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste Marie stocks, Rubber Goods preferred and Realty preferred 2 to 2½. A break of 2½ in sugar lower in the end of the hour unsettled the market again and prices yielded.

There was a sharp decline in the prices of many stocks today immediately after the opening of the market which carried many of them to the lowest prices of the year. The declines from half a point to four points, the latter decline being scored in Virginia-Carolina Chemical.

Wheeling & Lake Erie, preferred, declined 3½, and Consolidated Gas 1⅜. General Electric lost 3 points, and other stocks suffered serious losses. The selling brought out good support, under which there were substantial rallies, after the first ten minutes.

Shortly after 11 o'clock, the suspension of Sharp and Bryan, was announced on the exchange, but the market was not greatly affected by the news.

Liquidation broke out again with greater violence and the market sagged below the forenoon low level. St. Paul, Missouri Pacific, Atchison, Union Pacific, Baltimore & Ohio, Erie, Southern Railway, Reading, Copper and United States Steel Stocks were foremost in the decline and were unloaded in large blocks. Missouri Pacific slumped 3⅝ to 92 and over-night losses ran between 1 and 2 points in other prominent stocks.

The recent heavy declines in stocks in which they were interested had forshadowed the suspension of Sharp & Bryan which was announced immediately after 11 o'clock.

The rally was checked but the general market did not become acutely weak again, the announcement being accepted and clearing away a cloud over the market as in the case of other recent failures. The tone continued feverish, however, Virginia-Carolina Chemical rallied 2¼ and then fluctuated irregularly. Missouri Pacific ran off 1⅛, Chicago & Eastern Illinois certificates broke 10.—W. & L. E. first preferred 4⅞, Colorado & Southern first preferred 3⅝, Southern Railway preferred 3¼, St. Louis Southwestern preferred and Metropolitan Street Railway 3 and St. Paul preferred and Pacific Coast 2. The United States Steel Stocks lost their gains.

The announcement of a second failure was followed by a feverish rally of 1 to 1½ but active liquidation was renewed and carried prices lower than before. Missouri Pacific lost 6⅝, Wabash preferred 5, Evansville and Terrehaute 7½; Northwestern and Denver and Rio Grand preferred 4, Erie 3⅞, Delaware & Hudson 5 and the market generally 1 to 3. The rush of bears to take profits caused some sudden rallies of a point or more in the final dealings. The closing was nervous and excited with new breaks in some stocks and others still showing the effect of short covering.

Live Stock.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 5.—Cattle receipts 26,000, including 500 western; market slow and lower; good to prime steers $5.10@$5.50; poor to medium $3.75@$4.90; stockers and feeders $2.50@$4.30; cows $1.50@$4.50; heifers $2.00@$4.60; canners $1.50@$2.75; bulls $2@$4.25; calves $2.50@$6.65; today's fed steers $3.50@$4.75.

Hogs, receipts today 25,000; tomorrow 25,000, left over 1,869; market steady to strong; mixed and butchers $4.90@$5.60; good to choice heavy $5.25@$5.50; rough heavy $4.60@$5.20; light $5.35@$5.75; bulk of sales $5.10@$5.40.

Sheep receipts 18,000; sheep and lambs steady; good to choice wethers $3.60@$4.00; fair to choice mixed $2.75@$3.30; native lambs $3.25@$6.25.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Ill. Aug. 5.—Wheat, Sept. 79⅝@½, old 79¾; Dec. 80⅝@½, old 80 5-8@¾; May 82¾.

Corn—Aug. 51⅜; Sept. 52 1-8; Dec. 51⅝@⅞; Oct. 52 1-8; May 52.

Oats—Aug. 33 5-8; Sept. 34 1-8; Dec. 35 1-8; May 36⅞.

Pork—Aug. 13.45; Sept. 13.65; Oct. 13.57½; Jan. 12.05; May 13.00.

Lard—Sept. 7.92½; Oct. 7.72½; Jan. 7.30; May 7.37½; Nov. 7.60.

Ribs—Sept. 8.07½@8.10; Oct. 7.92½ May 6.77½.

Rye—Sept. 51½@52; Dec. 53.

WILL CLOSE COTTON MILLS.

Action Was Decided Upon Because of Extremely High Cost of Material.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 5.—Instructions have been forwarded to the managers of the cotton mills of the China, Webster and Pembroke Manufacturing Co.'s at Suncook, N. H., to shut down the three corporations on Saturday next, until August 24. The action was decided upon because of the high cost of cotton and the unsatisfactory condition of the market for print cloths, the product on which all the Suncook mills are engaged. The Pittsfield, N. H., cotton mills will shut down the same day for several weeks. The Clinton mills of Norwich, Conn., have closed for a fortnight.

QUAKERS AGAIN WINNERS.

Leicester, Eng., Aug. 5.—The Leicestershire Cricket eleven today began their second innings in their match against the Philadelphia team. Wanting 324 runs to win, the home eleven had already lost eight wickets for 195 runs, when an adjournment was called for luncheon.

The Philadelphian's won their match against Leicestershire by 101 runs.

PROMOTER WRIGHT WAS

Arraigned in London This Morning, and Released on Giving Bond.

London, Aug. 5.—Whitaker Wright, the promoter and director of the London and Globe corporation, limited, was arraigned at the Guild hall police court today, and remanded after formal evidence of his arrest had been taken.

The prisoner was released on bail of $250,000 of which he provided $125,000 and three sureties guaranteed the remaining $125,000.

BOW WONG SOCIETY INTERESTED IN EDITORS.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—Acting secretary Loomis today received a cablegram from the Bow Wong society of Honolulu, asking that the United States interest itself in the "reform" editors who are under arrest in Shanghai. Nothing is known of the Bow Wong society, but it is believed to be a revolutionary organization of Chinese origin.

UMPIRE HURST.

New York, August 5.—President Pulliam has announced the appointment of Tim Hurst as a National League umpire.

MANY SILVER DOLLARS STOLEN

From the United States Mint, for Which an Employe Is Arrested--Pen-Knife Leads to the Thief's Identification.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 5.—Robert J. Kilpatrick, employed as a laborer at the United States mint, in this city, was arrested today by secret service operatives charged with stealing 858 silver dollars from a mint vault. The money was stolen while the coins in the mint were being transferred from one vault to another. The robbery occurred in December, and January, last. The coins were in canvas bags and boxes.

A loose dollar aroused suspicion, and led to the discovery that a robbery had been committed. During the search, a pen knife with which the packages had been opened, was found and this led to the identification of Kilpatrick, as the thief.

BRYAN'S PRESENCE

In Urbana Today Made the Occasion for Conference of Party Leaders.

Johnson Recognized as a Candidate for the Next Democratic Nomination for President, and Movements This Year Are Preliminary to That.

Urbana, O., Aug. 5.—Col. Wm. Jennings Bryan, was the attraction here today at the Chautauqua assembly. The democratic convention of Champaign county, to nominate a ticket and select delegates to the democratic state convention at Columbus, two weeks hence, was also held today, and Bryan's presence was made the occasion for a conference of leaders. It had been announced as the occasion for making the Johnson program for the state convention, but the invitations of the committee were not limited to any faction. Among those accepting invitations were Mayor Johnson, of Cleveland, John L. Zimmerman, of Springfield, and former Congressman Lentz, of Columbus. While the visitors addressed the convention, the principal work was done in private conferences.

Johnson is recognized as a candidate for the next democratic nomination for president, and all the movements for the governorship or for the senatorship this year are considered preliminary to the national contest next year. It is stated that former Congressman Lentz will present Johnson's name to the convention for governor and if Johnson is nominated, that Lentz will be endorsed for senator. John H. Clarke, of Cleveland, has also been mentioned for senatorial endorsement, but neither he nor his friends are here.

Zimmerman Gets Delegates.

The business of the Champaign county convention was disposed of soon after 1 a. m. C. E. Buroker, Geo. Ropp, James F. Hearn and Frank C. Gaumer, were selected as delegates to the state convention. They are for Zimmerman for governor. There were demonstrations when the revolutions were read, and adopted, endorsing both the Chicago and Kansas City platforms and expressing continued confidence in Bryan.

Col. Bryan began speaking at 10:30 and addressed the convention at length. Those in attendance at Chautauqua assembly crowded about the tabernacle, making an immense audience. Col. Bryan congratulated the convention on its harmony, and denied that he was a disturber as charged by some who had disturbed the party for years. He said the trouble with the democratic party, began in 1892, when a "Bunko Steerer" led the party into the net of Wall street, just as confidence men work individuals. He insisted that the same "Bunko Steering" could not be repeated, and those who had not been loyal could not resume leadership until after they became at least repentant. The money question was not paramount today, but plutocracy was seeking to control the party for all its purposes.

Mayor Johnson entered as Bryan was speaking, and the speaker stopped to shake hands with him while the audience was cheering. Col. Bryan continued the discussion for an hour, when he was followed by John L. Zimmerman, ex-Congressman John Lentz and Mayor Tom L. Johnson.

The delegates to the state convention met while the country convention was still in session, and adopted unanimously a resolution to vote as a unit for Zimmerman.

Zimmerman discussed state issues especially the new code and its effect on municipalities and state institutions. Mayor Tom. L. Johnson discussed taxation and other issues and pending state constitutional amendments. He said the chairman of the republican state committee and other republicans had said that the main issue was the re-election of Mark Hanna, as senator. While insisting on there being much more than "Hannas' place" at stake, Mayor Johnson insisted that under no circumstances would he be a candidate for senator, but that the state convention was pledged to endorse some one for senator.

Mayor Johnson insisted the democrats were fighting for the control of the next legislature more for reforms in home rule, taxation and other state issues than for anything else. He insisted that this was a time for the issues of today, and not for the days of Thurman and other democratic patriarchs. He discussed the defeat of the democrats in Ohio, and said it was due often to dead issues.

HOISTED HIM HIGH.

Westerners Set Law at Defiance and Mete Out Justice a la Kentucky.

Washington Farmer and Self-Confessed Murderer Hung by the Neck Until He Was Dead, After Which the Crowd Melted Away.

Asotin, Wash., Aug. 5.—Despite the effort of the little victim's father, sheriff Richards, of Asotin county, who had sworn in twenty-five deputies to guard the man, Wm. Hamilton, a well-to-do farmer, the self-confessed murderer of little Mabel Richards, was forcible taken from the Asotin county jail, shortly after midnight, and lynched by a mob of over 1,000 men who had been congregating all day yesterday, from all parts of Asotin county.

About 1:25 o'clock this morning, a band of masked men, their faces concealed with handkerchiefs, marched up the street to the county jail.

The officers and guards were swept aside by the mob, the keys were taken from the jailer, the jail yard was flooded, and finally entrance was effected into the jail proper. When the cell containing the guilty man was reached, no key could be found to fit it. It was necessary to saw and hack at the bars until the door could be opened.

What transpired during the operation or what had been said, will not be known until one of the lynchers makes public the details, but Hamilton, after about fifteen minutes delay, was dragged out of the cell, and down into the yard.

Meanwhile another company of masked men had marched up the street and taken position opposite the jail. They kept back the crowd which had filled the streets all night, waiting for the lynching, for the entire population of the town had turned out, and their numbers had been swelled by people from the surrounding country.

Soon there came a procession from the jail yard. On either side of the doomed wretch was a masked man clutching the murderer's arm and hauling him around. Beside him another masked man pressed closely, with his hand over the murderer's mouth, to prevent a possible outcry.

Other members of the jail-storming mob came behind. As the sinister group came forward the masked men who had been guarding the entrance to the jail, formed a linked chain about the captive and captors, and in this manner, they proceeded, keeping the crowd at a respectful distance. Evidently they had their programme all mapped out. When the lynchers with Hamilton reached First and Fillmore streets, they halted under a guy wire which crosses the street and connects electric light poles. Here one of the leaders asked Hamilton, if he wanted to confess.

He did so. He spoke in an exceedingly low tone, not being heard more than ten feet away. Finally he asked that his jewelry, some trifling trinkets he had in his possession, and his watch be given to his father and mother, and it was promised that this would be done.

Then there was another short wait. The manner of Hamilton's death was under discussion. Some of the mob thought hanging was too good for him, and wanted to torture him, but the original programme prevailed, and it was decided to hang him.

Some one produced a black mask like that used in a legal hanging, and it was put over the head of Hamilton. It reached down to his shoulders. The rope was then produced, placed about his neck and then thrown over the guy wire, being enough to reach within springing distance of the lynchers. It was seized by the men, and the body was lifted off the ground and suspended. Hamilton's efforts to gasp for breath were plainly discernable a distance of two blocks.

After Hamilton's body had been held by the lynchers for a time, long enough to make certain that he was dead, the rope was tied to the telegraph pole, and the body left suspended. The crowds when they were satisfied that the wretch had breathed his last, quietly melted away, and sought their beds, and the streets were soon deserted.

SARBER PROMOTES ANOTHER COMPANY.

Enterprise Bearing His Name Incorporated and Will Operate Block of Leases Which It Holds in Allen County.

Cleveland, O., Aug. 5.—The Sarber Oil Co., capital $10,000, was incorporated at Columbus today, the incorporators being Samuel Baumgart, C. L. Cuthbert, Harry Pott and L. W. Schaff. The president is C. A. Sarber, formerly of Adams and Sarber. Headquarters will be in Cleveland.

"We have some oil leases in Allen county," said Sarber. "Ours will be largely a promoting company. There will be no stock offered for sale to the general public. All the shares will be owned by officers of the company."

DOWAGER IS MAKING LIST

Of Subjects Who Will Have the Pleasure of an Autumn Execution.

Pekin, Aug. 5.—Six scholars, whose essays at recent examinations proposing reforms in the administration of China were denounced by the Censors, have fled from Pekin, through fear of arrest and execution.

It is supposed that they have gone to Japan.

Marshal Su who was summoned to the capital to explain his failure to crush the rebellion in Southern China, has had an audience with the Dowager Empress, which is reported to have been unsatisfactory to him. It is predicted in official circles that Su will be included in the autumn list of those condemned to be executed.

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LOOK

To Wyoming for Big Production.

Several Pools

Are Opened, Awaiting Pipe Line.

Quality Varies From Finest Lubricant to Illuminating Product.

Much Territory Has Been Prospected, But Not a Dry Hole Has Been Drilled in the State.

While the present oil excitement in the west at the present time is centered in Kansas and Indian Territory, as well as the coast field of California, it will be well for the oil trade to keep a close watch upon the progress being made in the various Wyoming districts.

Eighteen oil fields are known to exist in Wyoming, and many more will be discovered when prospected for. In each of these fields oil is flowing from springs, or there are thick bands of oil sand exposed, and many test wells have been put down, but the first real dry hole has yet to be found.

The greater number of these fields are situated in the central part of the state, but there are fields in the northeastern part, in the southwestern portion, and in the northern central region. The oils that have been analyzed vary in nature from high-grade lubricating to oils that will produce from 40 to 50 per cent of kerosene. On the Pope Agie river, ten miles south of Lander, in Freemont county, are three wells that are considered good for 200 barrels a day each. These wells have lain idle for years, because of the lack of railroad or pipe lines for transportation. From what is known at the present time, Wyoming will, when the oil fields have been developed, produce as much oil as any of the central western states. With proper facilities for transportation, the oil industry in Wyoming will be second to none.

The greatest development is found in Natrona county, where a lubricating oil has been found which has been pronounced by experts to be the best in the world. The same can be said of the oil found in Uintah county. Two thousand square miles have been prospected in Natrona county, and large quantities of oil have been discovered.

The first oil well was drilled in 1884, on Poison Spider Creek, by a Denver company. Wells were also drilled in the Rattlesnake district. But the principal wells are located on Salt Creek, a distance of 50 miles from Casper. At Casper the Pennsylvania Oil & Gas Company has a refinery which has a daily capacity of 200 barrels of crude oil. The product is hauled from the wells in wagons that have a carying capacity of 18,000 pounds, each train of wagons requiring 12 to 16 mules.

Fremont county has large oil fields and the only flowing wells. The springs where the Murphy wells are located were discovered by Bonneville in 1833 and the oil has been used for medical and lubricating purposes ever since. The oil is found in the Paleozoic strata, and in this respect this field resembles more closely the oil fields of the eastern states than any other Rocky Mountain field. The wells already drilled will produce close to 1,000 barrels a day.

The Popo Agie petroleum appears almost black, although in thin layers it is reddish brown by transmitted light. There is no perceptible flourescence, and the distillates are not nearly so flourescent as those of Salt Creek oil. The odor and taste are strong and unpleasant, and on distilling the oil vapors of very disagreeable odor are given off, doubtless compounds of sulphur. The per cent of sulphur is about the same as that found in the Ohio oil. As a natural lubricating oil to be used in its crude state, the Popo Agie oil is not as good as some of the other oils found in the state, but upon refining this oil contains no products that cannot be thrown either into illuminating or heavy lubricating oil. Just east of the Popo Agie oil fields are the Beaver field and the Shoshone field and to the northwest the Roshue oil fields, all in Fremont county.

In Natrona county are the various fields: Big Horn, Rattlesnake, Prago, Semino and two other pools in the northern part of the country. Oil has been found in the centre of Johnson county, but the field is not being worked owing to the pool having no outlet.

In the eastern part of Weston county, is the Stockade oil field, which covers a large area.

In Crook county are located the famous Belle Fourche oil fields, that for years have been producing.

A very important field has been discovered in Uintah county, near Evanston, and is known as the Bear River field. To the north is the Fossil oil field, and to the east of the Bear River field is the Spring Valley field, which is the most prominent and active one in the state. A very fine oil was found by the Beetis company in a well in section 12, township 14, range 120, six miles southeast of Evanston. This oil is a natural lubricant, and without a doubt as fine a crude oil as has ever been taken from the ground. The oil was found at a depth of 550 feet. Eighteen miles north of Evanston, the Michigan & Wyoming Oil Company is putting down a wildcat well.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

SOME ODD ADVERTISEMENTS.

Among answers recently received to an advertisement for a nurse to attend an invalid "Gentleman" was one giving the usual particulars, and concluding: "I think I shall suit. My last patient is dead."

"Dairymaid wanted; able to wash and iron (4 cows).

"General servant wanted, small house, family of two, one agreeable and obliging.—Lynn (Eng.) Advertiser."

A paper refuses to publish eulogies gratis, but adds: "We will publish the simple announcement of the death of any of our friends with pleasure."

The manager of a concert given in a small town, instead of putting "Not Transferable" on the tickets posted a notice on the door: "No gentlemen admitted unless he comes himself."

No one can get into the theatres where the Al. G. Field Greater Minstrels appear without a ticket. No free tickets are issued, and notwithstanding the great expense of the attraction, the price of admission is never advanced.

NOTICE.

The charter of the Brotherhood of Painters', Decorators and Paper Hangers of America Union No. 1018, of Lima, O., will be open until Sept. 1. All painters, paper hangers and decorators, please take notice and act accordingly.

C. MUREIN, Acting Sec.

If you're run down and nervous—if you're dyspeptic, bilious or rheumatic—take
WRIGHT'S CELERY TEA
one vial for a box. 25 cents at druggists or by mail.
WRIGHT MEDICAL CO., Columbus, Ohio.

Asthma "One of my daughters had the asthma terribly. We tried almost everything, without relief. We then tried Ayer's Cherry Pectoral and three bottles cured her."—Emma Jane Entsminger, Langsville, O.
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Monarch Polish
There is No Other That will make your furniture look so bright, pianos so new, mantels and tiling so clean as Monarch.
Easy to apply, economical, and will not injure the finest surfaces
Nothing Better for Hardwood Floors and Hardwood Finish.
If your dealer will not supply you, we will by express, prepaid for 25 cents. BAIRD BROS. & CO., Cleveland, O.

A Bad Stomach
Lessens the usefulness and mars the happiness of life.
It's a weak stomach, a stomach that can not properly perform its functions.
Among its symptoms are distress after eating, nausea between meals, heartburn, belching, vomiting, flatulence and nervous headache.
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cures a bad stomach, indigestion and dyspepsia, and the cure is permanent.
Accept no substitute.

PRINCES

Of Church Are Surrounded With Magnificence.

Their Wardrobes of Vestements, Slippers and Jewels the Most Costly in the World.

Few rulers are surrounded with more ceremony and magnificence than the princes of the church. As for the Pope himself etiquette and tradition imposed on him a sumptuous magnificence, and the wardrobe of Leo XIII is the largest and most costly the world has to show, says the Chicago Chronicle.

Three large rooms in the Vatican are given over to it and many servants are constantly at work keeping the vestments in order. There are garments set aside for each day in the year, varying in color, weight and value according to the occasion and the season.

In Lent the papal raiment from shoes to cap is scarlet. The Easter season calls for white. Other holy days demand other colors.

Every item of each costume is the finest and richest of its kind. The surplices worn at audiences are of priceless old lace. Nowhere in Europe is there a more valuable and interesting collection of lace.

The slippers of the Pope are legion and each pair is of the finest velvet. The right slipper, which is kissed by pilgrims and other pious visitors, bears a cross in gold embroidery, while on the left are embroidered the crest, keys, tiara and pallium which makes up the crest of the Roman church.

But the slippers fade into insignificance before the value of the innumerable pairs of gloves. These gloves are of the fineset white wool. The wool is embroidered in costly pearls.

The material for the gloves, as for all woolen garments worn by the Pope, is made from the fleece of a special flock of sheep dedicated to this purpose and owned by a family that has since the middle of the sixteenth century enjoyed the privilege.

From this head of fifty sheep a number of lambs are set aside each year. On January 21 these lambs are taken to the Pope and in an impressive ceremony receive the papal blessing. After that they are kept for a year at a convent near Rome and are cared for in the most elaborate and punctious fashion.

The year being passed, the lambs are shorn and the nuns weave the fleece into palliums for the Pope. The pallium, a long strip of white wool, adorned only by a gold cross at each end, is the most sacred of priestly vestments and is worn around the neck and body, the ends falling over the left shoulder.

Many of the papal vestments are set with rich jewels and are stiff with gold and silver, but these gorgeous garments are seldom worn since the Vatican lost its temporal power and the Pope has given up grand public ceremonies. One of the jeweled robes, the famous cappa magna, or great cape, is so thickly set with gems that its weight alone prevented the old and frail Pope from wearing it.

Pope Leo XIII was fond of jewels and kept a remarkable collection of rings, but only three of them are official. The fisherman ring, carved with a representation of St. Peter fishing, is the Pope's official signet ring and is destroyed at the death of the wearer, a duplicate being made for his successor.

Nerves Like a Flat-iron.
A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Lichty's Celery Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves of not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by W. M. Melville.

CLEVELAND BANKS MAKE BIG MERGER

Cleveland, O., August 4.—The stock holders of the First National and Coal & Iron National banks at a joint meeting today ratified the proposed consolidation of the two concerns. The combined capitalization will be $1,000,000. The re-organized bank will be known as the First National.

FOUND

The Indians Easy Picking.

A Brief Rally

Kept Wapak From Being Shut Out.

But It Was Not Expected to Defeat the Professionals From Cincinnati.

"Long Bob" Ewing Was Given an Ovation When He Came to the Bat, and He Did Fine Box Work.

The Cincinnati Reds gave an exhibition of ball playing at Wapakoneta yesterday afternoon in the presence of over 1200 people, the actual paid admissions being 1247. Lima was present in strong force, three Western Ohio cars taking over 200 base ball fans down to swell the crowd which came from all surrounding towns. Piqua was well represented, as it was up to Wapakoneta to make a better showing than the 10 to 4 game which had been played there on Monday.

There is very little real enthusiasm to be stirred up in a contest between the amateur and professional, and yesterday's exhibition was no exception. The Reds were capable at any time of walking away with the game, but they took it easy and only once did the rooters for Wapak have a chance to approach excitement. It was in the sixth that a succession of hits, coupled with a wild throw, gave Wapakoneta three runs, the only ones scored in the nine innings. Cincinnati got four in the second, on as many safe hits, one in the third and four in the last turn at the bat, a total of 9.

The game started off rather sensationally. Mike Donlin, put a three bagger out of reaching distance, and it looked like Van Anda, the crack Wapakoneta pitcher, was to be immediately slaughtered. He put them right over the plate, however, and to the intense enjoyment of the crowd the next eight pitches struck out two of the Reds, and had two strikes on the third. A slow grounder to short retired the batsman at first, and Donlins' three bagger was wasted.

Wapakoneta was easily retired and then the Reds went after enough runs to put them on easy street. Two singles, two doubles and an error, at second, gave the professionals 4 runs, and they added another in the third, when three safe hits were made. Neither side scored again until Wapak did a stunt in the sixth, which broke the line of goose eggs. There was no more scoring until the final inning, when Ewing started the ball rolling with a two base hit. Seymour followed with one of his long shots for three bases, the ball cracking the fence in right field. When the smoke cleared away, four red legs had crossed the plate, and the game was over, Wapakoneta failing to carry out what at first promised to be another rally.

"Long Bob" Ewing, who pitched for the Reds, was given an ovation when he came to the bat, his old home admirers presenting him with a box of cigars. The next time up, a large paper sack was opened, and he was compelled to don a pea jacket and a dinky straw hat. Seymour finished the game attired in the jacket and wore it when he drove his terrific three-bagger to the limits of the field. Score by innings:

Cincinnati	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	4—9
Wapakoneta	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0—3

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On the South Side—Two St. Johns Avenue Men Bag Some Game.

W. W. Bains Has Enforced Lay-off on Account of a Sudden Attack of Rheumatism.

Personal Items.

The man who declared that there is nothing new under the sun ought to pay a visit to the South Side once in awhile. E. L. Kraft, of the Kraft Shoe Company, has hit upon an idea which is extremely original, at least in its application. Frank Rickets also has convinced his many friends that he is missing his calling, and that he ought really to be an artist. The news is too good to tell Go and see for yourself.

"Six of One" and So Forth.

Thorne Lincoln and Sam Sullivan went hunting yesterday. Thorne had a muzzle-loader that his grandfather used at the Alamo, and Sam carried a Queen Anne that saw service in the war of the Revolution. They agreed in saying that they would have gotten more squirrels if it hadn't taken so long to load the blamed guns. In all other points their tales don't quite hitch, and at present it is impossible to tell whether Sam shot the half-dozen or Thorne, or whether they had to use the dollar that Thorne borrowed before he left, as a probable necessary precaution.

Laid Up.

W. W. Bains, who drives the delivery wagon for M. Thomas & Son, was loading his wagon this morning, when he was seized with a "stitch" in his back, which refused to leave as soon as usual. As a result, he is taking an enforced lay-off today.

Outing.

Last evening, a merry party of young people from south Pine street and vicinity, went to the home of John Hutchinson, a few miles southeast of town, where they had a splendid time, returning at a late hour in the evening.

Town Talk.

Mrs. John Flynn, of east Second street, has returned from Ft. Wayne, Ind., after a visit of two weeks with relatives there.

Conductor F. C. Smith, of the Lake Erie, reported for duty yesterday after a lay-off of several days, on account of illness.

Mrs. A. L. Crawford, who has been quite ill for several days, is greatly improved.

Byron Van Horn, has left his position at the Lake Erie shops, and has gone to Findlay, to work on a farm until his vacation is over. Byron will recuperate there before returning to his studies in the Eclectic Medical school, at Cincinnati.

Art Morris was a spectator at the Cincinnati-Wapakoneta game yesterday.

Del. Mullen, of south Pine street, has returned from Montpelier, Ind., having decided not to accept the position offered him there. Del will remain here working with his father.

Maxwell Bros.' Americans attended the game at Wapakoneta en masse, hoping to get a few pointers on how to play the great national game.

Rumor has it that the bankers' of the city, and the south side clerks, are soon to join in mortal combat.

More than fifty south side fans, took in the game at Wapakoneta yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Neeley, of 535 Albert street, have returned from a stay of a week or ten days in Ft. Wayne, Ind. They were visiting Mr. Neeley's brother, who has been in the hospital there.

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Tragic End to Fishermen Who Used Dynamite—Good Warning to Isaac Waltons.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 5.—A terrible tragedy occurred near Macauley Point yesterday. Two men, believed to be Harry Caldwell, a surveyor, and his son, went to a small island about two miles from Victoria, and off Macauley Point, to dynamite fish. The dynamite exploded and the bodies of both were torn to pieces and scattered over the rocks.

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New York, Aug. 5.—A woman giving the name of Apllestein, upon being brought before a police magistrate here, charged with vagrancy, as a professional beggar, was found to have bank deposits of $1,600 and $75 in currency. The latter did not include 1,400 pennies found in her pockets, which weighed, all told, fifty pounds. It took the court attaches half an hour to count the money. She was handed over to a charity organization.

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DO YOU WALK STRAIGHT?

Few People Do, Says a Fault Finder Who Notices Things.

"Have you ever noticed how few people walk straight?" said the man who finds fault. "I am not speaking in a spiritual sense, neither do I refer to their gait, which is certainly bad enough, but to the crookedness of their path. A straight road is not at all times possible, I admit, and when the streets are most crowded a fellow is excusable for darting around any old way, but when given a clear sidewalk I can't for the life of me see why he cannot walk straight.

"Watch any man—and women are just as bad—who starts out from home at an hour when other people in the neighborhood are busy on their own doorsteps and give him a clean sweep. Since there are no obstructions in the way, there is no reason on earth why he should not proceed in a straight line to the nearest corner, but instead of pursuing that undeviating course he zigzags most suspiciously. Now he is perilously near the curb, now brushing against the area railing, while occasionally he evens things up by taking a few steps in the middle of the pavement. The people who thus waver in their gait are perfectly sober and would be surprised if anybody should show them a diagram of their tracks. Naturally all that veering and tacking appreciably increases the distance traveled, which is another reason why people in a hurry should learn to walk straight."—New York Times.

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THE WASP.

Curious Habits of the Little Stinging Torments.

Some Things About Their Enemy That Will Interest Boys and Girls.

There are very few boys and girls who do not regard the wasp as their natural enemy, and it is the last insect which they would ever think of being trained into friendly ways, yet vespa, the paper-making wasp, is angry only when an honest wasp ought to be so says the Chicago Chronicle. It is only natural that she will not endure having her nest torn down about her ears and her grubs and eggs killed before her very eyes. She falls into a fine rage when boys, other folks or animals whom she fears come too near her paper palace, and, like a brave soldier, fights against all odds in the defense of her home and never runs away.

Hornets and yellow jackets belong to the genus vespa, the sociable wasp—too sociable we think sometimes, when we are forced to bear the sting of their advances. They build nests of paper inclosed by thick walls, and are one of the most interesting members of the insect world.

If you want to learn a few things concerning their habits prepare a case consisting of a cardboard box without a cover, the top and sides being covered with a wire netting. In the sides should be good-sizer slits, both for ventilation and help to observation. They require little attention and are both instructive and amusing. A daily dewy leaf to drink from and a lump of moist sugar furnish a feast for the most exacting wasp.

To catch them in an insect net is necessary. Seek out such flowers as appear to be their favorites and then snare them. Having brought home a nice little company of half a dozen or so, you will soon discover many very remarkable things about them that heretofore you did not know.

You will find, first, that the hornet has a white face and white body marks, while the yellow jackets are black, marked with bright yellow, and are smaller than hornets. Their sting is weaker and some of them are no larger than flies. Both of these wasps have two compound eyes, out of which they see, and a group of three purely ornamental ones. These are worn in the center of the forward and are sensitive to light. It is said these ornamental eyes are inherited by the wasp from her remote ancestors, the worm.

The antennae, or feelers, are the most interesting features of the wasp's graceful body. They serve as ears, nose and tongue and are highly decorative as well.

In addition to these are tiny hairs that aid the wasp greatly in the sense of touch. If the antennae were removed, a wasp could not work or find food. Without anything even resembling a nose, the wasp has a keen sense of smell. If you wish to be convinced of this bury a piece of meat near its nest and it will seek it out immediately.

When two wasps meet the antennae are used as means of communication. Watch them closely and you will find that though they seem to be saying much to each other, they are not telling any secrets as to where they have discovered any food, nor do they invite their friends to join them in insect hunts. They are, however, hospitable after a fashion, for the latest comer in the nest is asked to share the drop of honey that the most of hostess carries in the body, and which can be brought up from the stomach at will. Strange wasps are received more coldly, but there is not a duel immediately, as in the case of stranger bees meeting.

Wasps are very intelligent, showing to a marked degree evidences of memory. At the entrance to a nest was placed a bit of red paper. Upon the return of the inhabitants the greatest commotion reigned, but soon they grew used to it, and used the gayly colored portal with the indifference of old residents. One day, the red paper was removed and a blue one substituted. Every wasp upon discovering the change, buzzed about in great agitation, and would not enter the strange doorway. When the red paper was put back, they tumbled over each other to get into quarters which had resumed their familiar aspect.

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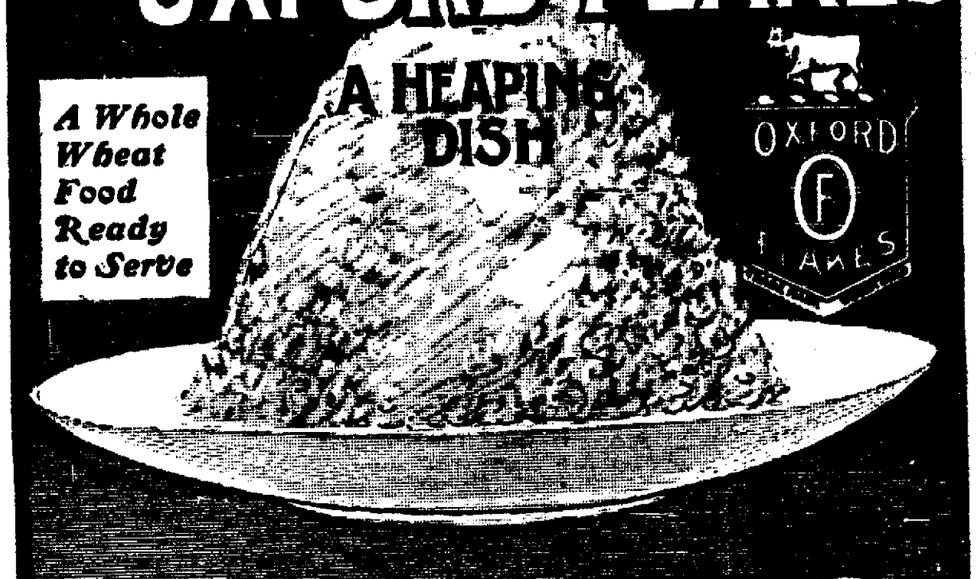

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The woman complained to Lady Yarmouth of her difficulty in getting along, and of an experience she had had with a boarder.

"The first morning this man stopped here," she said, "he began to eat boiled eggs very greedily. Egg after egg he ate—three, four, five, six—and it was only the yolk of them that he swallowed; the white he didn't bother at all.

"When he dug his spoon into the seventh egg my temper got the better of me, and I said in severe tone:

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We suppose "skin game" originated in the effort to get one's undershirt off on a hot night.

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A suggestion for the women's literary clubs to settle: What becomes of the chigger after he has bored a way in?

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While the present oil excitement in the west at the present time is centered in Kansas and Indian Territory as well as the coast field of California it will be well for the oil trade to keep a close watch upon the progress being made in the various Wyoming districts

Eighteen oil fields are known to exist in Wyoming and many more will be discovered when prospected for In each of these fields oil is flowing from springs or there are thick bands of oil sand exposed and many test wells have been put down but the first gusher has yet to be found

The greater number of these fields are located in the central part of the state but there are fields in the northeastern part in the southwestern portion and in the northern central region The oils that have been analyzed vary in nature from high grade burning oils that will produce from [illegible] per cent of kerosene to the Pepo Agie river oils which are heavy lubricating oils found in Freemont county are three wells that are considered good producers barrels a day each These wells have lain idle for years because of the lack of railroad or pipe line for transportation From what is known at the present time Wyoming will when the oil fields have been developed produce as much oil as any of the central western states With proper facilities for transportation the industry in Wyoming will be [illegible]

The greatest development is found in Natrona county where a lubricating oil has been found which has been pronounced by experts to be the best in the world The same can be said of the oil found in Uintah county Two thousand square miles have been prospected in Natrona county and large quantities of oil have been discovered

The first well was drilled in 1884 on Bisons Spider Creek by a Denver company Wells were also drilled in the Salt Creek district But the principal work is done on Salt Creek a distance of 70 miles from Casper At Casper the Pennsylvania Oil Company has a refinery which has a daily capacity of 200 barrels The product is hauled out in wagons that have a carrying capacity of 18 000 pounds each and 4 wagons requiring 12 to [illegible] as large fields

and the only flowing wells The springs where the Murphy wells are located were discovered by Bonneville in 1833 and the oil has been used for medical and lubricating purposes ever since The oil is found in the Paleozoic strata and in this respect this field resembles more closely the oil fields of the eastern states than any other Rocky Mountain field The wells already drilled will produce close to 1 000 barrels a day

The Pepo Agie petroleum appears almost black although in thin layers it is reddish brown by transmitted light There is no perceptible flourescence and the distillates are not nearly so flourescent as those of Salt Creek oil The odor and taste are strong and unpleasant and on distilling the oil vapors of very disagreeable odor are given off doubtless compounds of sulphur The per cent of sulphur is about the same as that found in the Ohio oil As a natural lubricating oil to be used in its crude state the Pepo Agie oil is not as good as some of the other oils found in the state but upon refining this oil contains no products that cannot be thrown either into illuminating or heavy lubricating oil Just east of the Pepo Agie oil fields are the Beaver field and the Shoshone field and to the northwest the Roshue oil fields all in Fremont county

In Natrona county are the various fields Big Horn Rattlesnake Prago Semino and two other pools in the northern part of the country Oil has been found in the centre of Johnson county but the field is not being worked owing to the pool having no outlet

In the eastern part of Weston county is the Stockade oil field which covers a large area

In Crook county are located the famous Belle Fourche oil fields, that for years have been producing

A very important field has been discovered in Uintah county near Evanston and is known as the Bear River field To the north is the Fossil oil field and to the east of the Bear River field is the Spring Valley field which is the most prominent and active one in the state A very fine oil was found by the Beetis company in a well in section 12 township 14 range 120 six miles southeast of Evanston This oil is a natural lubricant and without a doubt as fine a crude oil as has ever been taken from the ground The oil was found at a depth of 550 feet Eighteen miles north of Evanston the Michigan & Wyoming Oil Company is putting down a wildcat well

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No one can get into the theatres where the Al G Field Greats Minstrels appear without a ticket No free tickets are issued and notwithstanding the great expense of the attraction the price of admission is never advanced

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Few rulers are surrounded with more ceremony and magnificence than the princes of the church As for the Pope himself etiquette and tradition imposed on him a sumptuous magnificence and the wardrobe of Leo XIII is the largest and most costly the world has to show says the Chicago Chronicle

Three large rooms in the Vatican are given over to it and many servants are constantly at work keeping the vestments in order There are garments set aside for each day in the year, varying in color weight and value according to the occasion and the season

In Lent the papal raiment from shoes to cap is scarlet The Easter season calls for white Other holy days demand other colors

Every item of each costume is the finest and richest of its kind The surplices worn at audiences are of priceless old lace Nowhere in Europe is there a more valuable and interesting collection of lace

The slippers of the Pope are legion and each pair is of the finest velvet The right slipper which is kissed by pilgrims and other pious visitors bears a cross in gold embroidery while on the left are embroidered the crest keys tiara and pallium which makes up the crest of the Roman church

But the slippers fade into insignificance before the value of the innumerable pairs of gloves These gloves are of the finest white wool The wool is embroidered in costly pearls

The material for the gloves as for all woolen garments worn by the Pope is made from the fleece of a special flock of sheep dedicated to this purpose and owned by a family that has since the middle of the sixteenth century enjoyed the privilege

From this head of fifty sheep a number of lambs are set aside each year On January 21 these lambs are taken to the Pope and in an impressive ceremony receive the papal blessing After that they are kept for a year at a convent near Rome and are cared for in the most elaborate and punctious fashion

The year being passed the lambs are shorn and the nuns weave the fleece into palliums for the Pope The pallium a long strip of white wool adorned only by a gold cross at each end is the most sacred of priestly vestments and is worn around the neck and body the ends falling over the left shoulder

Many of the papal vestments are set with rich jewels and are stiff with gold and silver but these gorgeous garments are seldom worn since the Vatican lost its temporal power and the Pope has given up grand public ceremonies One of the jeweled robes the famous cappa magna or great cape is so thickly set with gems that its weight alone prevented the old and frail Pope from wearing it

Pope Leo XIII was fond of jewels and kept a remarkable collection of rings, but only three of them are official The fisherman ring carved with a representation of St Peter fishing is the Pope's official signet ring and is destroyed at the death of the wearer, a duplicate being made for his successor

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CLEVELAND BANKS MAKE BIG MERGER

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FOUND

The Indians Easy Picking.

A Brief Rally

Kept Wapak From Being Shut Out.

But It Was Not Expected to Defeat the Professionals From Cincinnati.

"Long Bob" Ewing Was Given an Ovation When He Came to the Bat, and He Did Fine Box Work.

The Cincinnati Reds gave an exhibition of ball playing at Wapakoneta yesterday afternoon in the presence of over 1200 people, the actual paid admissions being 1247 Lima was present in strong force three Western Ohio cars taking over 200 base ball fans down to swell the crowd which came from all surrounding towns Piqua was well represented as it was up to Wapakoneta to make a better showing than the 10 to 4 game which had been played there on Monday

There is very little real enthusiasm to be stirred up in a contest between the amateur and professional and yesterday's exhibition was no exception The Reds were capable at any time of walking away with the game but they took it easy and only once did the rooters for Wapak have a chance to approach excitement It was in the sixth that a succession of hits coupled with a wild throw gave Wapakoneta three runs the only ones scored in the nine innings Cincinnati got four in the second on as many safe hits one in the third and four in the last turn at the bat a total of 9

The game started off rather sensationally Mike Donlin put a three bagger out of reaching distance and it looked like Van Anda the crack Wapakoneta pitcher was to be immediately slaughtered He put them right over the plate however, and to the intense enjoyment of the crowd the next eight pitchers struck out two of the Reds and had two strikes on the third A slow grounder to short retired the batsman at first and Donlins three bagger was wasted

Wapakoneta was easily retired and then the Reds went after enough runs to put them on easy street Two singles two doubles and an error at second gave the professionals 4 runs and they added another in the third when three safe hits were made Neither side scored again until Wapak did a stunt in the sixth which broke the line of goose eggs There was no more scoring until the final inning when Ewing started the ball rolling with a two base hit Seymour followed with one of his long shots for three bases the ball cracking the fence in right field When the smoke cleared away four red legs had crossed the plate and the game was over Wapakoneta failing to carry out what at first promised to be another rally

Long Bob Ewing who pitched for the Reds was given an ovation when he came to the bat his old home admirers presenting him with a box of cigars The next time up a large paper sack was opened and he was compelled to don a pea jacket and a dinky straw hat Seymour finished the game attired in the jacket and wore it when he drove his terrific three bagger to the limits of the field

Score by innings

Cincinnati	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	4	—9
Wapakoneta	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	—3

Six hits were made off Ewing and 16 off Van Anda Ewing struck out 6 and Van Anda 4

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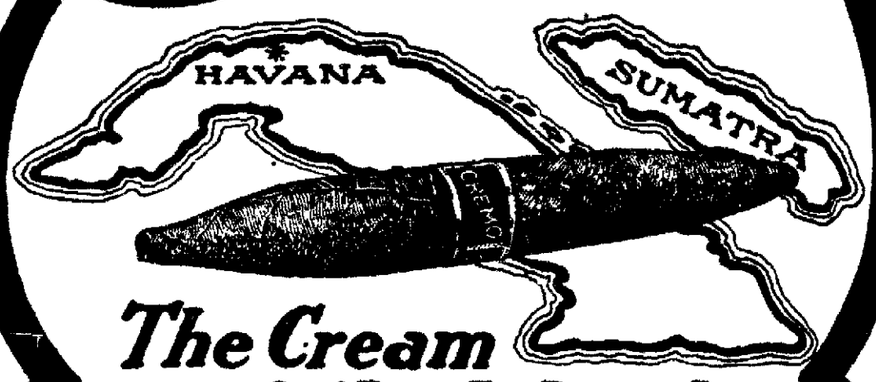

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On the South Side—Two St. Johns Avenue Men Bag Some Game.

W. W. Bains Has Enforced Lay-off on Account of a Sudden Attack of Rheumatism. Personal Items.

The man who declared that there is nothing new under the sun ought to pay a visit to the South Side once in awhile. E. L. Kraft, of the Kraft Shoe Company, has hit upon an idea which is extremely original, at least in its application. Frank Rickets also has convinced his many friends that he is missing his calling, and that he ought really to be an artist. The news is too good to tell. Go and see for yourself.

"Six of One" and So Forth.

Thorne Lincoln and Sam Sullivan went hunting yesterday. Thorne had a muzzle-loader that his grandfather used at the Alamo, and Sam carried a Queen Anne that saw service in the war of the Revolution. They agreed in saying that they would have gotten more squirrels if it hadn't taken so long to load the blamed guns. In all other points their tales don't quite hitch, and at present it is impossible to tell whether Sam shot the half-dozen or Thorne, or whether they had to use the dollar that Thorne borrowed before he left, as a probable necessary precaution.

Laid Up.

W. W. Bains, who drives the delivery wagon for M. Thomas & Son, was loading his wagon this morning, when he was seized with a "stitch" in his back, which refused to leave as soon as usual. As a result, he is taking an enforced lay-off today.

Outing.

Last evening, a merry party of young people from south Pine street and vicinity, went to the home of John Hutchinson, a few miles southeast of town, where they had a splendid time, returning at a late hour in the evening.

Town Talk.

Mrs. John Flynn, of east Second street, has returned from Ft. Wayne, Ind., after a visit of two weeks with relatives there.

Conductor F. C. Smith, of the Lake Erie, reported for duty yesterday after a lay-off of several days, on account of illness.

Mrs. A. L. Crawford, who has been quite ill for several days, is greatly improved.

Byron Van Hern, has left his position at the Lake Erie shops, and has gone to Findlay, to work on a farm until his vacation is over. Byron will recuperate there before returning to his studies in the Eclectic Medical school, at Cincinnati.

Art Morris was a spectator at the Cincinnati-Wapakoneta game yesterday.

Del. Mullen, of south Pine street, has returned from Montpelier, Ind., having decided not to accept the position offered him there. Del will remain here working with his father.

Maxwell Bros.' Americans attended the game at Wapakoneta en masse, hoping to get a few pointers on how to play the great national game.

Rumor has it that the bankers' of the city, and the south side clerks, are soon to join in mortal combat.

More than fifty south side fans, took in the game at Wapakoneta yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Neeley, of 535 Albert street, have returned from a stay of a week or ten days in Ft. Wayne, Ind. They were visiting Mr. Neeley's brother, who has been in the hospital there.

Summer Complaint

is not always brought by change of air and water. The "stay-at-homes" are just as susceptible to diarrhoea; due, generally to over eating, as unripe fruits etc, and drinking ice water, all accompanied by painful bowel discharges; and, if not checked, results seriously. Perry Davis' Painkiller is the only purely reliable remedy. 25 and 50 cents.

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THEIR BAIT KILLED THEM.

Tragic End to Fishermen Who Used Dynamite—Good Warning to Isaac Waltons.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 5.—A terrible tragedy occurred near Macauley Point yesterday. Two men, believed to be Harry Caldwell, a surveyor, and his son, went to a small island about two miles from Victoria, and off Macauley Point, to dynamite fish. The dynamite exploded and the bodies of both were torn to pieces and scattered over the rocks.

A WOMAN'S GRATITUDE.

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New York, Aug. 5.—A woman giving the name of Apllestein, upon being brought before a police magistrate here, charged with vagrancy, as a professional beggar, was found to have bank deposits of $1,600 and $75 in currency. The latter did not include 1,400 pennies found in her pockets, which weighed, all told, fifty pounds. It took the court attaches half an hour to count the money. She was handed over to a charity organization.

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DO YOU WALK STRAIGHT?

Few People Do, Says a Fault Finder Who Notices Things.

"Have you ever noticed how few people walk straight?" said the man who finds fault. "I am not speaking in a spiritual sense, neither do I refer to their gait, which is certainly bad enough, but to the crookedness of their path. A straight road is not at all times possible, I admit, and when the streets are most crowded a fellow is excusable for darting around any old way, but when given a clear sidewalk I can't for the life of me see why he cannot walk straight.

"Watch any man—and women are just as bad—who starts out from home at an hour when other people in the neighborhood are busy on their own doorsteps and give him a clean sweep. Since there are no obstructions in the way, there is no reason on earth why he should not proceed in a straight line to the nearest corner, but instead of pursuing that undeviating course he zigzags most suspiciously. Now he is perilously near the curb, now brushing against the area railing, while occasionally he evens things up by taking a few steps in the middle of the pavement. The people who thus waver in their gait are perfectly sober and would be surprised if anybody should show them a diagram of their tracks. Naturally all that veering and tacking appreciably increases the distance traveled, which is another reason why people in a hurry should learn to walk straight."—New York Times.

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THE WASP.

Curious Habits of the Little Stinging Torments.

Some Things About Their Enemy That Will Interest Boys and Girls.

There are very few boys and girls who do not regard the wasp as their natural enemy, and it is the last insect which they would ever think of being trained into friendly ways, yet vespa, the paper-making wasp, is angry only when an honest wasp ought to be so says the Chicago Chronicle. It is only natural that she will not endure having her nest torn down about her ears and her grubs and eggs killed before her very eyes. She falls into a fine rage when boys, other folks or animals whom she fears come too near her paper palace, and, like a brave soldier, fights against all odds in the defense of her home and never runs away.

Hornets and yellow jackets belong to the genus vespa, the sociable wasp—too sociable we think sometimes, when we are forced to bear the sting of their advances. They build nests of paper inclosed by thick walls, and are one of the most interesting members of the insect world.

If you want to learn a few things concerning their habits prepare a case consisting of a cardboard box without a cover, the top and sides being covered with a wire netting. In the sides should be good-sizer slits, both for ventilation and help to observation. They require little attention and are both instructive and amusing. A daily dewy leaf to drink from and a lump of moist sugar furnish a feast for the most exacting wasp.

To catch them in an insect net is necessary. Seek out such flowers as appear to be their favorites and then snare them. Having brought home a nice little company of half a dozen or so, you will soon discover many very remarkable things about them that heretofore you did not know.

You will find, first, that the hornet has a white face and white body marks, while the yellow jackets are black, marked with bright yellow, and are smaller than hornets. Their sting is weaker and some of them are no larger than flies. Both of these wasps have two compound eyes, out of which they see, and a group of three purely ornamental ones. These are worn in the center of the forward and are sensitive to light. It is said these ornamental eyes are inherited by the wasp from her remote ancestors, the worm.

The antennae, or feelers, are the most interesting features of the wasp's graceful body. They serve as ears, nose and tongue and are highly decorative as well.

In addition to these are tiny hairs that aid the wasp greatly in the sense of touch. If the antennae were removed, a wasp could not work or find food. Without anything even resembling a nose, the wasp has a keen sense of smell. If you wish to be convinced of this bury a piece of meat near its nest and it will seek it out immediately.

When two wasps meet the antennae are used as means of communication. Watch them closely and you will find that though they seem to be saying much to each other, they are not telling any secrets as to where they have discovered any food, nor do they invite their friends to join them in insect hunts. They are, however, hospitable after a fashion, for the latest comer in the nest is asked to share the drop of honey that the most of hostess carries in the body, and which can be brought up from the stomach at will. Strange wasps are received more coldly, but there is not a duel immediately, as in the case of stranger bees meeting.

Wasps are very intelligent, showing to a marked degree evidences of memory. At the entrance to a nest was placed a bit of red paper. Upon the return of the inhabitants the greatest commotion reigned, but soon they grew used to it, and used the gayly colored portal with the indifference of old residents. One day, the red paper was removed and a blue one substituted. Every wasp upon discovering the change, buzzed about in great agitation, and would not enter the strange doorway. When the red paper was put back, they tumbled over each other to get into quarters which had resumed their familiar aspect.

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You can eat heaps of **Oxford Flakes.** They stimulate the jaded appetite—satisfy the hearty one. The best beginning for a strenuous day. Deliciously different. Three sizes— A premium list in every size.

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Mysterious Circumstance.

One was pale and sallow and the other fresh and rosy. Whence the difference? She who is blushing with health uses Dr. King's New Life Pills to maintain it. By gently arousing the lazy organs they compel good digestion and head off constipation. Try them. Only 25s, at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

Not Feathers.

Lady Yarmouth, who was Miss Alice Thaw, of Pittsburg, was presented at the court of St. James in June. Since her arrival at the Yarmouth estate she has received much attention from the peasants, and many small presents have been generously bestowed upon her. She told to one of her American friends who visited her in England, the following story, which she got from a woman whose sick child she was visiting:

The woman complained to Lady Yarmouth of her difficulty in getting along, and of an experience she had had with a boarder.

"The first morning this man stopped here," she said, "he began to eat boiled eggs very greedily. Egg after egg he ate—three, four, five, six—and it was only the yolk of them that he swallowed; the white he didn't bother at all.

"When he dug his spoon into the seventh egg my temper got the better of me, and I said in severe tone:

"Don't you ever eat the white of the egg, sir?"

"Surely no, my woman," he answered. "The yolk is the bird; the white is the feathers. Would you have me make a bolster of myself."

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Much Depends.

Joey—Yes, Pietro, in whist playing a good deal depends on your luck.

Pietro—Quite so. And your luck depends on a good deal, hey?—Philadelphia Bulletin.

OPAAC

Cures a Cold in 24 Hours.

Do you ache and feel feverish, one or two Opaac Tablets are just what you need, they tone up the system and drive out all feverish symptoms. Don't take quinine; Opaac is a tonic which does lasting good.

Opaac is a small chocolate coated tablet, and is sold at 25 cents a box, by Wm. M. Melville, old postoffice cor.

Eczema, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.

ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

We suppose they call them deviled eggs because they look like it.

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Even in hot weather, we dislike the appearance of a "dapper" man.

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A real good republican is always expecting a democrat to steal his horse.

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Our idea of a very smart person is one who understands all about a South American revolution.

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We suppose "skin game" originated in the effort to get one's undershirt off on a hot night.

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A suggestion for the women's literary clubs to settle: What becomes of the chigger after he has bored a way in?

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The girl who wept when things went wrong, has been succeeded by the girl who says words she learned from her brother.

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Listen, and you will hear that the heirlooms which were most rare and valuable were broken and smashed by the baby years ago.

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It is related that a girl visiting in town, wrote home a very enthusiastic description of her hostess' home. 'The bath room,' she wrote, 'is lovely, done in blue and white tiling, and the tub is so handsome. I can hardly wait till Saturday night."

Consumption Threatened.

"I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption," says C. Unger, 211 Maple St., Champaign, Ill. "I tried a great many remedies and I was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since."
Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

SPECIAL SUMMER TOURIST FARES.

Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Will be in effect July 7th to September 30th, inclusive to Colorado, Utah, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, South Dakota and points in Southwest. For particulars consult Ticket Agents of Pennsylvania Lines. till sept 30.

Quick Relief for Asthma Sufferers.

Foley's Honey and Tar affords immediate relief to asthma sufferers in the worst stages and if taken in time will effect a cure.

Reduced Fares to Rome City Via the Pennsylvania Lines.

July 9th to August 13th, inclusive, excursion tickets to Rome City, Ind., account camp meeting and Island Park Assembly, will be sold via the Pennsylvania Lines. Particulars regarding rates and time of trains furnished by ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines. till aug-12

"I had diabetes in its worst form," writes Marion Lee, of Dunreath, Ind. "I tried eight physicians without relief. Only three bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure made me a well man." It is a medicine free from poisons and will cure any case of kidney disease that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

I have for sale, the following described property:

One 1-story frame business room, with lot 20x200 feet, situated on north Main street, opposite court house.

One 2-story frame dwelling house, with lot 50x200 feet, situated on the north side of west Market street, between McDonel and Metcalf streets.

One 1½-story frame dwelling house, with lot 40x200 feet, situated on south side of west Spring street, between Nye and Baxter streets.

Two vacant lots situated on north side of west Spring street, between Metcalf and Baxter streets, 47x150 feet each.

Inquire at Woodlawn Cemetery office,

242-2m J. R. HUGHES.

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NIAGARA FALLS $5.00

Round Trip From Lima via Pennsylvania Lines.

Thursday, August 13th is the date of the annual excursion to Niagara Falls. Round trip fare will be $5.00 from Lima. For particulars apply to F. M. Eakin, ticket agent. 238d&w-tt

A Liberal Offer.

The undersigned will give a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to any one wanting a reliable remedy for disorders of the stomach, biliousness or constipation. This is a new remedy and a good one.

W. M. MELVILLE.
Old Postoffice Corner.

Cut this out and take it to Melville's drug store and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Regular size, 25c per box.

SPECIAL FEATURE OFFERED

By the L. E. & W. R. R. on Its Annual Niagara Falls Excursion, Thursday, August 6th, 1903.

Holders of tickets to Niagara Falls have the privilege of returning from Buffalo to Cleveland via the C. & B. line of steamers without extra charge. Every one should take advantage of this delightful lake trip. No other line offers this inducement.

243-tt W. F. CARTER, T. P. A.

Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally, started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklen's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for burns, bruises, Skin Eruptions and piles. 25c at H. F. Vortkamp's drug store, corner of Main and North streets.

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Lima, Ohio.

THE WEATHER.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 5.—Ohio: Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday, showers in north portion.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES.
THOMAS M. BERRY.

For Common Pleas Judges,
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG.
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGUS,
of Richland Township.

For Sheriff,
EUGENE J. BARR,
of Lima.

For Treasurer,
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,
of Lima.

For Commissioner,
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,
of Bluffton.

For Surveyor,
CHARLES E. CRAIG,
of Monroe Township.

For Coroner,
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,
of Lima.

For Infirmary Director,
C. H. MOSIER,
of Marion Township.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION.

Pursuant to the order of the Democratic State Central Committee, notice is hereby given that the convention of the Democrats of the state of Ohio, to nominate candidates for state offices to be voted for at the November election, 1903, for the endorsement or rejection of constitutional amendments submitted by the General Assembly, and for the nomination of a candidate for United States Senator, will be held at Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 25, and 26. Each county will be entitled to one delegate and one alternate for each five hundred votes cast for Herbert S. Bigelow for Secretary of State the November election, 1903, and one additional delegate and alternate for the remainder of votes exceeding two hundred and fifty.

Delegates to this convention shall be elected through primaries, delegate convention or mass conventions for the holding of which at least ten days' notice shall have been previously given designating the time and place for the holding of such primaries and conventions, and called by the controlling committees of the party in such counties, except that the delegates from a county containing a city in which there is a registration of electors, and in which city the number of voting precincts forms a majority of the precincts of the county, shall be selected by direct vote of the people at a primary election held in pursuance of the laws of this state. No county, central or executive committee shall have power to name delegates to the state convention.

All delegates shall submit their credentials to the chairman and secretary of the state committee at Columbus, on Tuesday August 25 not later than 3 o'clock p. m. The delegations will meet by districts at 5 o'clock p. m. on Tuesday August 25, at such places as may be designated by the committee on arrangements, for the purpose of selecting one member of each of the following committees:

State central committee, resolutions, credentials, rules and order of business, permanent organization, vice-president and secretary.

All of such committees will meet at places to be designated by the committees on arrangements, at 7:30 o'clock p. m. of the same day.

The convention will be called to order in the Columbus Auditorium, on Wednesday, August 26, at 9:30 o'clock a. m. The temporary officers will be: Chairman, G. M. Baltzgarber; secretary, Charles E. Mason; assistant secretaries, L. B. Houck and Charles Marshall; sergeant-at-arms, W. R. Burnett; first assistant sergeant-at-arms, Joe Goldsoll; second assistant sergeant-at-arms, John Dugan.

At such convention candidates shall be named for the following offices: Governor, lieutenant-governor, state auditor, state treasurer, attorney general, one judge of the supreme court, one school commissioner and one member of the board of public works.

The apportionment of delegates and alternates in the convention, shall be as fololws:

Allen	10
Auglaize	6
Darke	10
Mercer	6
Shelby	6

W. J. FREY,
Chairman.

HARRY F. PAYER,
Secretary.

With the records made up, July seems to be fairly strewn with financial wrecks. These are piping times of prosperity of republican making.

The omega limit, tag end and candal of all that goes to discredit of the theatrical profession, is found in the dramatizing of the Burdick-Pennell tragedy.

When speaking of summary justice in the south, we of the north call it "lynching." The same act in the north is called "a gathering of excited gentlemen who were rather inclined to hasten the execution of the law."

Had the same methods for securing secrecy and preventing undue influences been thrown about the members who constituted a certain session of the Ohio legislature as encompassed the cardinals while electing a successor to Leo, a certain man, by name Hanna, would never have represented this state in the United States senate.

STRICTLY AMERICAN.

According to a writer in a magazine our postoffice department is twenty years behind the postal systems of other nations, which may be true, but not in all respects. We have yet to hear of any other postoffice department that has to be nailed down over night to prevent its custodians from lugging it off. This is an innovation exclusively American.—Chicago Chronicle.

FINANCIAL GASTRITIS.

This is the way Henry Clews, banker and broker summarizes the situation in Wall street:

"The crisis in Wall street, appears to have reached its climax, accompanied of course, by the usual set-backs incidental to convalescence. Experts seem to agree in diagnosing the ailment, which attacked the stock market with such severity, as financial gastritis—the inevitable result of an ill-advised attempt to swallow an immense quantity of indigestible securities. Singularly the attack has been most severe upon those who took part in this stupendous meal, but fortunately, owing to vigorous constitutions and heroic applications of the hydropathic or liquidation treatment, the disease did not become sufficiently acute to develop symptoms of hysteria or panic. The unhappy patients have suffered severely by their underwriting commitments; nevertheless a valuable lesson has been learned, and the experience should have its value to observers and all intrested. Hereafter the tendency of prices ought to be conservatively upwards for really good stocks."

ROOSEVELT, THE LECTURER.

Some Southern newspaper, we think it was the Macon Telegraph, remarked recently that the attitude of President Roosevelt toward the 80,000,000 Americans was that of guide, philosopher, friend and father. The New York Sun expresses pretty much the same idea, but in another way by describing him as the country's great free lecturer. "It is his mission and his happiness," says the Sun, "to lecture and instruct. Urged by an unconscious monopolistic instinct, he has gradually become the great national professor. History, ethics, biology, sociology, the art of war, naval science, anti-Malthusianism, political economy, the relations of capital and labor, the evils of trusts—these are but a part of his great course of free lectures."

This is a fair sample of the shafts of sarcasm with which the New York Sun almost daily punctures the strenuous Theodore, causing him to spend a great many very bad half hours. There was a time when the Sun was happy in piping the praise of President Roosevelt, but that was before he attempted to bunco the country with his farcical crusade against the trusts. Now nothing delights it more than to swat him hard and show by his own utterances what a consummate humbug he is.—Daily States.

TWO MASTED SCHOONER STRUCK ON A REEF.

Bridgeport, Conn., August 5.—During the northeasterly gale today an unknown two masted schooner struck on Penfield reef, and all efforts to reach her have thus far been unsuccessful. The schooner is lumber laden. It is conjectured that she may be the British vessel Fraulein, bound from Johan N. B., to Stamford. The schooner is in a dangerous condition but it is thought that her crew may be able to escape by crawling ashore on the reef at low tide.

SEVEN HUNDRED MET DEATH IN BIG FLOOD.

Berlin, Aug. 5.—A despatch received here, says 700 persons were drowned in the disastrous floods which occurred at Chefoo, China, July 27. The bridges within the city, and many houses with their occupants were swept away in the torrent. Two thousand of the inhabitants are left without means of subsistence.

WAR WAS DECLARED BETWEEN THE FLEETS.

London, August 5.—War was declared today between the home fleet, under the command of Admiral Wilson, and the Mediterranean fleet, commanded by Admiral Domville. The annual British naval manoeuvers thus commenced, are regarded as the most interesting yet devised by the admiralty. Altogether 26 battleships and 42 cruisers will be engaged in a presumed contest for the command of the sea between two maritime countries.

CATHOLIC OFFICERS.

Atlantic City, N. J., August 5.—The fololwing officers were elected by the American Federation of Catholic Societies today:

President Thomas B. Minnehan, Columbus, O.; first vice president, J. B. Oelkers, Newark, N. J.; second vice president, F. J. Kierce, San Francisco; third vice president, Edward Feeney, New York; secretary, Anthony Matrie, Cincinnati; treasurer Henry J. Fries, Erie, Pa.; marshal, H. W. Merwick, Kansas City.

SECOND DAY'S PLAY OF WESTERN GOLFERS.

Cleveland, O., August 5.—The second day's play of the Western Amateur Golf championship opened with fair weather and cloudless skies.

Scores.—D. P. Fredericks beat H. D. McCandless, by default.

N. Kendall beat G. A. Ormiston by default.

R. Russell beat C. W. Young by default.

A. J. Tweedie beat J. A. Waller by default.

A. B. Lambert beat ———— by default.

N. F. Morove beat J. C. Oliver by default.

E. H. Brown beat F. R. Hamlin by default.

NO ATTEMPT MADE TO TAKE KING'S LIFE.

Madrid, Aug. 5.—Because of the rumor that an attempt had been made on the life of King Alfonso, the government has issued a statement officially contradicting the report, and further denying that the king is indisposed.

WILL NOT AGREE.

London, Aug. 5.—In the House of Commons today, Premier Balfour, in reply to Henry Norman, announced that instructions had been sent to the British minister, at Pekin, not to agree to the Chinese governments demand for the surrender at Shanghai, of the editor and staff of the Chinese reform organ Supao.

FLAGSHIP KEARSARGE WILL DEFEND COAST.

Bar Harbor, Me., Aug. 5.—To defend the Maine coast from the attack of the "hostile fleet" of the United States vessels, which put to sea from here on Monday, the remaining portion of the North Atlantic squadron sailed from here today. The flagship Kearsarge with Rear Admiral Barker commanding, led the way out, but soon after they were clear of the harbor the vessels separated to proceed to the positions, or sections of coast assigned to them for protection. As the orders were secret none of the ships knew what its station was to be until after the departure from here.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS SEND GREETING TO POPE.

New Haven, Conn., August 5.—The National Council, Knights of Columbus today sent from headquarters here the following cablegram to the Vatican:

"To His Holiness, Pope Pius X.
Vatican Palace,
Rome, Italy.

"The Knights of Columbus of America greet His Holiness, promise their fidelity and wish him many years of happiness.

(Signed) P. J. McGIVNEY,
National Chaplain."

ATTENTION, U. R., K. O. T. M.

On account of most of the division being at the annual encampment, at Mansfield, there will be no drill on Thursday night. By order of

CAPTAIN.

BANKING HOUSE RAIDED.

New York, Aug. 5.—The police today raided the offices of Daniels and Co., arresting Daniels and detaining all the employes in the offices. The raid is said to have been made at the instance of the district attorneys office. According to the sign on the door of the offices, the firm did business as bankers.

PRESIDENT STORM BOUND.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 5.—President Roosevelt was storm-bound at Sagamore Hill today. A severe northeaster has been raging since last evening. During the day, the president with the assistance of Secretary Barnes disposed of a large amount of executive business which had been sent here from the various departments at Washington.

BONA WON CUP.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Aug. 5.—The Bona won the German emperor's cup in today's regatta of the Royal yacht squadron.

PITH AND POINT.

The more culture the less jewelry.

Night is only a tunnel to him who travels toward hope.

What some folks call luck is in reality disaster to them.

It is love of virtue, not fear of law, that makes civilization.

A man's business may be a success and yet the man a failure.

Don't weep over a bad crop. Get your land ready and sow again.

You can conquer your cares more quickly if you do not continually carry a long face.

Whatever you may have in your purse, carry hope in your heart and spend it freely.

There is no law against laughter, my friend. You are here on earth and entitled to its sunshine.

What fortunes are wasted by men and women who are struggling to know those who are hardly worth knowing!

Keep on trimming your lamps, tilling your soil, tugging and pegging away. You never can tell when the messenger of success will come.—Schoolmaster.

The Travels of a Jewel.

Fanny Kemble when in the United States years ago was persecuted by the attentions of a wealthy lunatic. When finally rejected by her he flung a package upon the table, exclaiming, "Well, at least take this!" and disappeared. The parcel proved to contain a very beautiful jewel. The actress was not long permitted to retain it. She saw no more of her persecutor, but did not remain under any sense of obligation to him. The gem was stolen from her before she quitted the United States. She forgot all about it in the course of the years that followed. A very long time afterward she was in Italy. A peddler displayed the contents of his pack before her at Sorrento. There lay the long lost jewel. Through whose hands it had passed there was nothing to show.

Peppermint Drops.

To make peppermint drops take a cupful of sugar crushed fine and just moistened with boiling water; then boil five minutes; take from the fire and add cream of tartar the size of a pea; mix well and add half a teaspoonful of essence of peppermint; beat briskly until mixture whitens, then drop quickly upon white paper; have cream of tartar and essence of peppermint measured while the sugar is boiling; if it sugars before it is all dropped add a little water and boil a minute or two. Wintergreen drops are made the same way by using half a teaspoonful of essence of wintergreen.

The White Man in Africa.

"The footprint of the white man is like the footprint of the elephant," says a Swazi native proverb; "it remains in the ground."

Another proverb: "White men are like and yet unlike quails. When you see one in your country you will soon see a flock. But the quails leave you again, the white men never."

Comparing Notes.

"So Mr. Smilax told you his heart was broken when you refused him," said Maud.

"Yes," answered Mamie.

"The impudence of him to offer me damaged goods the next day!"—Washington Star.

A STRONG, VIGOROUS MAN

Is Liable to Break Down—Pe-ru-na is Sure to Restore.

Hon. Frank Dunn, Alderman Twenty-Fourth District, writes from 232 East Fifty-Eighth Street, New York City:

The Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O.:

Gentlemen: "There is no remedy for a broken-down system that I know of which will so effectually restore health as Peruna.

"Whenever I am overworked or suffer from the consequences of a cold a few doses of Peruna builds me up again more quickly than anything I ever tried. I find it especially valuable for catarrh. Three bottles cured me three years ago of catarrh of the stomach and I have never had the least symptoms of it since."

Very truly,
FRANK DUNN, Alderman 24th Dist., N. Y. City.

A TONIC is a medicine that gives tone to some part of the system. There are different kinds of tonics, but the tonic most needed in this country, where catarrh is so prevalent, is a tonic that operates on the mucous membranes.

Peruna is a tonic to the mucous membranes of the whole body. It gives tone to the capillary circulation which constitutes these delicate membranes.

Peruna is a specific in its operation upon the mucous membrane. It is a tonic that strikes at the root of all catarrhal affections. It gives tone to the minute blood vessels and the terminal nerve fibres. Catarrh cannot exist long where Peruna is used intelligently. Peruna seeks out catarrh in all the hidden parts of the body.

Paul Landrum writing from Atlanta, Ga., says:

"In January last I began the use of your Peruna and Manalin for what was termed organic heart trouble. At that time I could scarcely walk to my place of business without stopping to rest and on arrival felt completely exhausted. Had severe pains in my heart and general dizziness. After using the first bottle of Peruna I began to improve and today I feel that I am a sound man and I work fourteen hours a day without any bad feeling."—Paul Landrum.

A. M. Ikerd, an employee of the C. B. & Q. R. R., West Burlington, Ia., writes:

"I had catarrh of the stomach and small intestines for a number of years. I went to a number of doctors and got no relief. Finally one of my doctors sent me to Chicago and I met the same fate. They said they could do nothing for me, that I had cancer of the stomach and there was no cure. I almost thought the same, for my breath was something awful. I could hardly stand it, it was so offensive. I could not eat anything without great misery, and I gradually grew worse.

"Finally I got one of your books, and concluded I would try Peruna, and thank God, I found a relief and a cure for that dreadful disease. I took five bottles of Peruna and two of Manalin, and I now feel like a new man. There is nothing better than Peruna, and I keep a bottle in my house all the time."—A. M. Ikerd.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis.

Address Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, Ohio.

HAD CHARGE OF CONTRACTS

And Is Accused of Overcharging His Firm for Work Sent Out.

New York, Aug. 5.—Samuel Goldstein, for six years a trusted employe of a clothing manufacturing firm, has been arrested on a specific charge of stealing goods from his employers to the value of $159, but it is alleged that over $40,000 has been taken. Goldstein had charge of the firm's contract work, and is accused of overcharging the firm for work sent out on contract. He was held in $10,000 bail for examination tomorrow.

MOTHER WAS WELL ARMED.

Brandishing a Revolver She Entered, Secured Her Child and Escaped.

Cincinnati, O., August 5.—A sensational kidnapping by a mother armed with a revolver occurred in Newport, Ky., today. Mrs. Arville Turner, who is living apart from her husband, accompanied by a woman, went to the house of Mrs. Taylor in Newport and at the point of a revolver, demanded admittance to get her child, six years old. Mrs. Taylor frightened, ran up stairs to where the boy was sleeping. Mrs. Turner broke open the door, followed Mrs. Taylor up stairs and, still brandishing the revolver, secured the child and rushed to the street escaped in a wagon.

ELEVEN HUNDRED QUARTS EXPLODED.

Glycerine Factory Near Bluffton, Indiana, Lets Go, and Three Men Were Blown Into Eternity.

Bluffton, Ind., Aug. 5.—The Empire-American Nitro-Glycerine Co.'s magazine, three miles northeast of Bluffton, exploded this afternoon, at 12:45. The entire plant was destroyed and Wm. Howard, Edward Radabaugh and Wm. Steffy, employes, were blown to pieces. It is also believed that a stranger who entered the plant just before the explosion, was killed.

Pieces of the machinery were blown 500 feet. Eleven hundred quarts of the explosive was destroyed. It is supposed the explosion was caused by a driver dropping a can.

THE FINANCIER OF THE REVOLUTION,

without whose aid even Washington, would have failed of success is a good example of how much is due to the power of money. The greatest talents and the most brilliant genius are alike powerless without its help. Therefore avail yourself of the financial advantages offered by the Lima Savings bank.

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Carpets, Rugs, Mattings and Linoleums.

Special prices for the next 10 days. It means money in your purse to buy your CARPETS now. They are all new fall patterns.

One special line of Brussels will be made, lined and laid on your floor for 55c.

Another line will be made, lined and laid for 69c.

A 10-Wire Brussels, all made and laid, for 85c.

The best Velvet Carpets, made, lined and laid on your floor, for 98c.

All wool Ingrains, the best in the land, such as the Lowell & Hartford, made, lined and laid on your floor, for 65c.

See our line of half wools.

See our Granites at 23c and 25c per yard.

Linoleums

In all the new colorings for fall are included in our great sale. All 65c, 75c and 80c Linoleums, 6 to 12 feet wide, will be put on your floor for 50c.

See our line of

Fine China.

All the popular makes, from the better grades on down. We can save you money on anything in the China line. See us for BARGAINS.

R. T. GREGG & CO.

Miss Gannon, Sec'y Detroit Amateur Art Association, tells young women what to do to avoid pain and suffering caused by female troubles.

"I can conscientiously recommend **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** to those of my sisters suffering with female weakness and the troubles which so often befall women. I suffered for months with general weakness and felt so weary that I had hard work to keep up. I had shooting pains and was utterly miserable. In my distress I was advised to use **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound**, and it was a red letter day to me when I took the first dose, for at that time my restoration began. In six weeks I was a changed woman, perfectly well in every respect. I felt so elated and happy that I want all women who suffer to get well as I did."—MISS GUILA GANNON, 359 Jones St., Detroit, Corresponding Sec'y Mich. Amateur Art Association.—*$5000 forfeit if original of above letter proving genuineness cannot be produced.*

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MOB

Met Nichols at the Depot,

But the Train

Pulled Out Before Violence Was Done.

Alleged Murderer of Minard Caught in Highland County.

He Denies the Crime, But the Dead Man's Watch and Other Belongings Were Found on His Person.

Bill Nichols, the alleged self-confessed murderer of Alpha Minard, at McGuffey, has been run to earth, and is now in jail at Kenton. He was trailed to Mt. Carmel, a small town in Highland county, and his arrest by sheriff Griffith, was accomplished without difficulty.

There was considerable excitement on the return as the news of Nichol's arrest had spread and he narrowly escaped lynching at Bellecenter, where a mob of 200 had gathered. The train pulled out amid the yells of "shoot him", "hang him," but Nichols did not flinch, even going so far as to fling a profane epithet at an old acquaintance who yelled to the prisoner that they had a rope outside for him.

A large crowd was at the 12 34 Big Four train, yesterday afternoon, when the prisoner was brought in to Kenton, says the Kenton Democrat. He was marched up through town under the curious gaze of many people. He walked along steadily though, and the only uneasiness expressed by him was that he kept winding his clinched hands in the handcuffs. He spoke pleasantly to those he recognized. Many people from the marsh came to see him taken up.

When lead to his cell, Nichols said he was tired. However he was not a bit nervous. He remarked that he was not angry and never did get mad except when some one did something or said something that would naturally anger anybody. He said he was angered by the remark that he ought to be hung, because he said, he had done nothing that could hang him. He said he had been drinking considerably of late and had gone over to Roundhead to take a good rest.

He said no more to the reporter except that he asked for an attorney at once.

A watch and considerable money was found on Nichol's person. Nichols said he had got the watch from the old man, A. Minard. Other belongings of his were found at the home of his niece at Carmel.

Nichol's case will probably be heard next month. Court begins about the middle of September.

THE IDLER.

Mr. John Hartman, who for twenty five years, has faithfully and intelligently served the Standard in various capacities and of recent years as superintendent of the paraffine works, at the Solar refinery, resigned his position the first of this month, and as a tribute to him for his valuable services, the company will carry him at half pay, during the remainder of his life. Mr. Hartman has been succeeded by Mr. Frank W. Butters, and the promotion is a merited one for him.

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The Daily Review, a handsome souvenir publication announcing the features of Al. G. Field's minstrels, is a guest of this office.

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The many people of this city who spend a portion of each year in California, will be grieved to learn of the death of Rev. Father Joaquin Bot, for forty years pastor of San Gabriel mission.

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Dimond Bros. have received from the Studebaker Wagon Co., a handsome new delivery wagon for their Wayne street store.

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L. J. Keppler has been visiting the surrounding towns for the purpose of posting lithographs for the merchants' carnival, which will hold forth in Lima for the week beginning August 24th.

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W. S. Morrison, the new agent of the Erie railroad, will bring his family to Lima tomorrow and will be at home at 461 west Spring street.

VERY MODEST IS NEW POPE.

Coronation Takes Place Next Sabbath, After Which Cardinals Leave.

Rome, August 5.—Pope Pius X rose at 5:30 this morning saying that he did not wish to change his habits. He slept last night in the apartment occupied by Cardinal Oreglia during the interegnum which is situated on the first floor of the Vatican. No decision has yet been taken concerning the Pontiff's apartment but it is already said that he desires them to be extremely modest.

At 7:15 the Pope said mass, assisted only by Monsignor Bressan, his conclavist. He afterwards took breakfast which consisted of only coffee, milk and a roll. Then, as he stood against the window from which he caught a glimpse of the gardens of the Vatican the Pontiff exclaimed:

"My first pleasure, when I can spare a moment, will be to explore the gardens which now confine my little world. How shall I get on without my long country tramps? How I shall miss them and my sea."

Pope Pius wishes to see personally most of the innumerable telegrams of congratulation received, giving instructions for the answers to those for which he cared most, and looked at the copies, changing here and there a word. Then he appeared at this morning's state reception for the cardinals in the Sistine chapel which during the night had been cleared of its temporary furniture used for the ballots, and was assuming its normal aspect.

The new Pope has confirmed Cardinal Oreglia as Camerlengo, Cardinal Agliardi will probably be secretary of state.

The Pope yielding to the pressure exercised by the foreign cardinals who are desirous of returning to their respective countries as soon as possible, has decided that his coronation shall take place next Sunday.

Pope Pius today received Prince Massimo the head of the Papal section of the Roman aristocracy, who was accompanied by his daughter in law, Princess Beatrice the daughter of Don Carlos. The Pontiff seemed especially glad to see her, saying:

"We are from the same town, your father is my friend, and I have not forgotten his amiability in coming to see me off at the station, when I left for the conclave little imagining that I should never see my beloved canals again. I hope your royal father will soon come to our court."

The third and last obedience of the Sacred college was consummated this morning, with the same ceremonial as before, in the Sistine chapel, the Pope being in his full pontificial robes, and partly restored in mind and nerves by a night's rest. The cardinals filed before him, and kissed his hand and foot, all smiling and apparently in a a perfectly contented frame of mind. They themselves in turn received a hearty embrace from Pius X. The music was directed by Abbe Perosi who was the Pontiff's protege, all present remarking how the Sistine choir had improved its method, since being under the Abbes' care. Every available corner of the small chapel was filled this morning, and those present seemed to forget Pius X in their pleasure in the magnificent harmony of the voices of the choir, and the feast of color as they rested their eyes on the pictures before them. The ceremony ended about noon.

Both going and coming from the Sistine chapel when he passed through the Raphael Loggia and the ducal hall the Pope refused to be carried in the Sedia Gestatoria, which however, followed him. After taking a few steps, he turned to Monsignor Bisleti, and said:

"I shall never voluntarily get into that box."

A Te Deum was sung this morning, in the Sistine chapel in honor of the election of the new Pope. All the cardinals were present except Herrero, who is still ill in his cell, although somewhat better than yesterday.

This morning, the Pope confirmed in their posts as secret chamberlains Monsignors Zichy, Scapinelli, Misciatelli and Sanz de Sampere and confirmed the Marquis of Serlupi, as master of the horse, and Monsignor Silli, as dean of the grooms. He appointed Monsignor Galli, secretary of latin letters to replace Monsignor Tarossi, who is ill, and also Monsignor Sardi, as secretary for briefs to the princes to replace Monsignor Volpino, who recently died.

ANECDOTES

Which Shows Sarto to be a Man of the People.

Rome, August 5.—A few anecdotes show what manner of man Pius X is. His position as patriarch of Venice brought him from $2,000 to $2,400 a year which did not go far, when he had paid the bills for all of his numerous charities. So when he was called suddenly to leave Venice, he often found himself to be without money. Once, when he had come to Rome he was without a cent and did not know where to turn. He was unally obliged to borrow $400 from a bank and was in a perfect fever until the debt was paid. He has a nephew, John Babtist Sarto, who notwithstanding the relationship is only the arch priest of the small village of Pessagno, the birthplace of Canova.

When in the past, people used to ask Cardinal Sarto what he would do if made Pope, referring to his modesty and affability, he replied: "I shall have white robes instead of red, that will be the only change. I shall remain the same Sarto as ever."

He seems to have been sincere in thinking that he would not be made Pope. Monsignor Stratimirovich, the Venetian prelate, accompanied him to Rome and up to the door of the Conclave, and in taking leave, as usual, hoped that Cardinal Sarto would be made Pope. His Eminence replied, laughing, "No. No fear for me. Tell me the number of your telephone and I will let you know who receives that honor."

In all of the excitement of his first triumph, he kept his word and went of the telephone personally, and called up the number only to find that Monsignor Stratimirovich already knew the result of the balloting and was on his way to the Vatican.

Pius likes not only to walk but to climb. A few days before he left Venice for Rome, he ascended Mount Grappa, 5,500 feet high. But his greatest enjoyment is music. He is a great friend and admirer of Lorenzo Perosi, the eminent director of the Pontifical choir, who was formerly maestro at St. Marks, Venice. Perosi is chiefly indebted to him for his musical career.

DISAPPOINTED

But Take Rampolla's Defeat With Good Grace.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 5.—Although disappointed at Cardinal Rampolla's defeat, the newspaper's accept Sarto's election with good grace. They regard it as a compromise between the followers of Cardinal Serafino Vannutelli and Rampolla and therefore deny that the German element has won a victory. The new Pontiff is regarded here as the possesser of statesmanlike, practical and administrative qualities, and one who will pursue a cautious political policy, and as most likely to effect changes in the religious field of the church, rather than in its political sphere.

Count Muccioli, of the noble guard, who was attached to the Pontiff during the conclave, and who has an American wife, availing himself of the privilege to ask the new Pope a favor, has implored Pius X to reinstate his comrade of the noble guard, Count Pietro Marchi, who not long ago was suspended for having given an afternoon tea inside the Vatican to several ladies of the Quirinal society, including Mrs. Meyer, the wife of the American ambassador.

Americans Were First.

Rome, Aug. 5.—Pope Pius X today received the members of the American pilgrimage to Rome, led John J. McGrane, of New York. This constitutes an event of considerable significance, the American pilgrims being thus the first to be admitted to the presence of the new Pontiff.

He Loves Americans.

Rome, Aug. 5.—The Associated Press representative was received in audience today by Pope Pius, being the first journalist of any nationality to have this honor. The Pontiff graciously granted the prayer of the correspondent to send a message to the American people saying, word for word:

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FOUL MURDER FOLLOWED BY

Arson Renews Interest in Kentucky Doings—Distillery Caused This Tragedy.

Winchester, Ky., August 5.—Simon Booker and wife who resided in a small cabin on the mountain in Franklin county were murdered and the torch applied to their home last night.

The tragedy is atributed to the raiding of a wild cat distillery located near their place during the month of June. Booker and his wife were accused by the moonshiners of betraying them to the revenue officers.

THE PROPHET HAD TO YIELD

To Earthly Law in Order to Take Out Naturalization Papers in This Country.

Chicago, Aug. 5.—John Alexander Dowie, general overseer of the Christian Catholic church, was made a citizen of the United States today, upon renouncing in the superior court his allegiance to the sovereign of Great Britain and Ireland.

NATIONAL MEETING OF ABSTINENCE UNION.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 5.—The delegates and visitors to the thirty-third national convention of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union, gathered this morning, at the Duquesne theatre, and formed into marching order and, headed by a band, marched to the church of the Epiphany, on Washington street, where pontificial high mass was celebrated by Right Rev. J. F. Regis Canevin, coadjutor bishop of the Pittsburg diocese.

Rev. Wm. Reilly, of Grafton, then preached a sermon and made an address welcoming the delegates and visitors to Pittsburg. The first business session of the convention was held in the Duquesne theatre at 11 o'clock and was devoted to the presentation of the reports of the different societies.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE

And Officials of the Rock Island Get Together and Settle Differences.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 5.—Officials of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad and representatives of the grievance committee of the Trainmen and Conductors, were in conference today and as a result, all danger of a strike is declared by the union leaders to be past. The conference is said to have proved satisfactory to theL committee, and it was further declared that an agreement had practically been reached by which all grievances of the men would be settled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago 1, Pittsburg 0; Brooklyn and Philadelphia, rain; New York and Boston, rain.

How They Stand.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Pittsburg	60	30	.667
Chicago	56	39	.589
New York	51	36	.586
Cincinnati	47	44	.516
Brooklyn	42	44	.488
Boston	36	49	.424
St. Louis	34	57	.374
Philadelphia	34	58	.348

Games To-Day.

Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Pittsburg at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Prudence is merely well trained common sense.

Most of the things that seem too good to be true are not.

Some men get tight because they screw up their courage with liquor.

Busy men are usually so happy that they have no time to realize it.

It may not be easier to coax a woman than it is to drive her, but it is safer.

It's awfully hard on some men's eyes when they look for perfection in themselves.—Chicago News.

CONTRADICTORY WITNESS.

Cynthiana, Ky., August 5.—In the Jett-White trial today the defense placed Mrs. Lulu South, a sister of Judge Hargis, on the witness stand. Testimony was contradictory of Miss Emma Clark, who testified for the Comonwealth last Friday. Mrs. South corroborated other witnesses for defense in placing Curtius Jett near the tree in the court house yard after the firing of the first shot.

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WON LAURELS IN ENGLAND.

Former Second Regiment Man Returns From the International Shoot.

The Columbus Dispatch says:

"Charles B. Winder, of Bloomdale, corporal of company G, Sixth O. N. G., the only Ohio officer who participated in the recent international shoot in England for the Palma centennial trophy, was a caller at the office of Adjutant General Gyger on Monday morning. He won honors on that occasion, for the team from the United States brought back that valuable trophy. The trophy is valued at $1,500. In addition to the honor of winning it in a contest made by substantially all nations. Russian shooters were not present for the reason that they had mistaken the date of the shoot. The contest were 800, 900 and 1,000 yards.

"Corporal Winders brought back with him a large assortment of photographs of the occasion, including the review of the contestants by the King and Queen, the various teams and the position of the men while shooting.

"In addition to the above he received a solid silver memento with the following inscription, which explains itself:

"CHARLES B. WINDER,
Sixth Regiment of Ohio,
United States Rifle Team.
With loving regards of the Team Captain, Leslie C. Bruce. Old Guards of New York. Strickleindowz, England, July 16, 1903."

"Corporal Winder states that they used special ammunition for the occasion and fired smooth bullets."

Corporal Winder is well known among the old members of the Second Ohio regiment and will be remembered especially by nearly all of the ex-militiamen who served during the several years that Maj. F. M. Bell was captain of company C. Winder is an old Second regiment man, the Bloomdale company having been in the Second for several years. Chas. Simons, of the South Side who is now employed as stationary engineer at the L. E. & W. shops, was a member of the Second Ohio's rifle team, and at the regimental target shoots was, on several occasions, Corporal Winder's closest competitor for first prize.

A PREACHER SHOT DOWN BY A BAND

Of Whitecappers While Trying to Escape From Them---His Son-in-Law Wounded and Wife Injured.

Lewisburg, Tenn., August 45.—One negro was killed and another fatally wounded by a mob of white cappers last night. There were between 15 and 30 in the mob, which made its appearance at the home of a negro preacher named John Millikin. Millikin made his exit through a back door. He was brought down by a volley, dying almost instantly. John Hunter, a son-in-law of Millikin, was made to accompany the mob on a fruitless search for another negro, and in an attempt to escape was fatally shot in the back. The wife of Millikin was struck over the head with a gun and painfully injured. No cause is assigned for the killing.

ART GLASS MAKERS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS.

Columbus, O., August 5.—The Art Glass Manufacturers of the country perfected a national organization here today to be known as the National Ornamental Glass Manufacturers' association. The following officers were elected: President, J. S. Wightman, Pittsburg; vice president, John Riordan, Cincinnati; secretary, L. Von Gerichten, Columbus; treasurer, A. J. Schuler, Chicago; members of the executive committee are Carl Steward, of Harrisburg, Pa., chairman, Alfred Goodman, Philadelphia, secretary, E. F. Kirwin, St. Louis; Joseph Flanagan, Chicago; Wm. F. Foy, Cincinnati.

The next convention will be held at Pittsburg, the second Monday in February, 1904.

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GROUNDS

For National Game Being Put Into Condition.

Proprietor Chappell, of the City Transfer Co., has placed a force of men to work putting the new ball grounds on the Berryman farm into condition for the national game. The diamond is being scraped and weeds are being cut in the outfield, and the new grounds will soon be ready for use. The diamond is situated at the west side of the Western Ohio Railway track immediately south of the C. & E. overhead bridge. Mr. Chappell has taken a five year lease on the grounds. Two of the Sealts boys, Hugh Cassidy and several other local players have been secured on the team.

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A GENIUS IN JAIL.

Von Siemens' First Patent Was Applied For From a Prison.

Von Siemens applied for his first patent from the cell of a prison. After graduation from the artillery school in Berlin the young man, then only twenty-one years old, was attached to a regiment in Wittenberg. It was there he began his experiments, to the great horror of his landlady, who upbraided him day after day for staining his clothes, furniture and the window panes with gold, silver and acid spots. She could not see the use of "wasting money for such things." But Von Siemens went on with his experiments and with staining his furniture and clothes.

He became, too, the life of the garrison and one of its most popular members. His popularity, however, led to his taking part as second in a duel between two of his comrades. As a result he was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in the fortress of Magdeburg. The landlady was the only person in Wittenberg who was glad of the young lieutenant's departure. In the cell in the fortress, however, he was allowed to fit up a laboratory and there continue his experiments. There, too, a month after his incarceration he perfected his method of galvanic gilding and applied for the patent from the prison cell.

It was granted and with it a pardon. A pardon in all probability was never received with less glee. Siemens had other experiments under way in his prison workshop and begged to be allowed to stay awhile longer and complete them. But the keeper sent him away with the declaration that such a course would be an insult to his king and commander.

Children's Blunders.

A Philadelphia schoolteacher tells of these blunders of children in physiology examination papers:

"Occupations which are injurious to the health are carbolic acid gas, which is impure blood."

"When you have an illness it makes your health bad, as well as having a disease."

"A stone mason's work is injurious because when he is chipping he breathes in all the little chips, and then they are taken into the lungs."

"All mechanical work is injurious to the health."

The word "function" seemed to puzzle the children tremendously. Questions containing that word were answered as follows:

"The skin discharges a function called perspiration."

"The function of the heart is between the lungs."

"The heart's function is called thorax."

"Grant's Luck."

I did not go out to see the surrender of General Lee. I remember well the event of General Grant's return after the surrender. I think there were not more than three persons present when the general came in and took a seat at a table to write. He looked up with some expression of animation and remarked:

"More of Grant's luck!"

This was an allusion to the newspaper critics who had been in the habit of calling his success luck.

This little comment on the surrender of Lee was the only word of exultation I ever heard from the victorious soldier.

It was a very slight expression of triumph to follow such a stupendous achievement, but wholly characteristic.—National Magazine.

Royalty and Chess.

Cards have been the amusement of kings and queens for centuries, superseding latterly the royal game of chess, which filled up the leisure moments of William the Conqueror, Queen Elizabeth and Charles I. The latter was so absorbed in his favorite pastime when the news reached him that Scotland had determined to sell him to the English parliament that, though well aware what the intelligence boded, he calmly played the game to the end. Queen Victoria preferred chess to cards, though during her old age she found diversion by playing "patience." A keen chess player, the great Napoleon would not submit to be beaten, and if he found his skill ineffective would throw board and chessmen angrily on the ground.

Moderation In Exercise.

Exercise which is well within the powers of the body is salutary for all and probably necessary for some, but exercise by which those powers are overstrained is too often not only the precursor, but quite unmistakably the cause, of serious illness or of bodily or mental failure. "Why," inquired Saladin, "should the weak display his inferiority in the presence of the strong?" The question is as pertinent in our own day as it was in that on which it was uttered.—London Hospital.

The Place to Knock.

"It will come out all right in time," he told his wife. "Fortune knocks at every man's door once, and some day she'll knock at mine."

"It won't help you any," returned his wife. "If fortune wants to find you she'll have to go to the club and send in her card."—Chicago Post.

Out of the Frying Pan.

Husband—She is by all odds the worst cook we ever had.

Wife—I know it. But she is going to stay until we get some one else.

"That's good. I didn't know but you would have to cook the meals."—Detroit Free Press.

If a row threatens you don't let it go so far that you become bitter and are willing to hurt yourself in order to hurt your enemy.—Atchison Globe.

GOOD BLOOD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

You know when rich, red blood is coursing through the veins, for it shows in the brightness of the eye, the purity and clearness of the complexion, the smooth, fair skin, and robust, healthy constitution. It is good blood that imparts strength and energy to the body and keeps it in a state of healthfulness and vigor. Good blood is the foundation of good health, and to be physically and mentally sound it must be kept pure and untainted. People with good blood possess strong, healthy nerves and are blest with good appetites and digestion, and enjoy sound, refreshing sleep. If we could always maintain the purity of the blood then we might enjoy perpetual health, but it becomes infected and poisoned and most of the ills that afflict humanity and undermine the constitution are caused by an impoverished or polluted condition of this vital fluid. When the blood is diseased the skin loses its healthy appearance, and the complexion, its freshness and beauty. It becomes red and rough and full of pimples and splotches. Itching, scaly eruptions, ulcerous sores, boils and rashes break out upon the body when the blood is too poor or too thin and acid, or is not supplying proper nourishment to the system. Debility, poor appetite, bad digestion, restless sleep and nervousness more often come from impure blood than any other cause.

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The Chicago and Erie R. R. will run the annual Niagara Falls excursion on August 4. Special train leaves Lima 3:40 p. m., arriving Niagara Falls 6:30 next morning. Fare $5.00 for the round trip to the Falls. $6.00 to Toronto; $11.50 to Thousand Islands and return. For information and sleeping car accommodations, call 'phone 60.

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Time card in effect June 14, 1903, from Lima.

No. Trains West.
7 Pacific Exp. for Chic., da. 12:28am
9 Buffalo-Chicago L't'd., da. 1:58 am
21 Chicago Exp., da. ex. Sun. 8:42 am
3 N. Y.-Ch'go. L't'd., daily ..11:33 am
13 Wells Fargo Exp., da. ex. Monday ..... 3:57 pm
37 Local Frt., ex. Sun. arrives 5:30 pm

Trains East.
8 N. Y. and Columbus, daily 4:06 am
23 Marion-Columbus, ex. Sun. 8:21 am
4 N. Y.-Boston L't'd. daily 4:33 pm
10 Buffalo-Chautauqua, dly. .11:02 pm
No. 13 will not carry baggage.
B. H. SIMPSON, Agent.

C. N. & D. RAILROAD.

SOUTH BOUND.
No. 7 Daily, leaves .....2:10 am
No. 11 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves ..5:20 am
No. 1 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves ..8:56 am
No. 5 Daily, leaves .....12:41 pm
No. 3 Daily, leaves .....4:10 pm
No. 9 Daily, leaves .....6:10 pm
No. 13 Daily, except Sunday.....9:35 pm
No. 15 Daily ex. Sunday, arriv. only 9:35pm
No. 65 Sunday only, leaves .....6:50 am

NORTH BOUND.
No. 12 Daily, leaves .....2:35 am
No. 14 Daily, leaves ex. Sunday...5:30 am
No. 2 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves...8:05 am
No. 4 Daily, leaves .....11:57 am
No. 4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves...4:35 pm
No. 8 Daily, leaves .....6:05 pm
No. 10 Daily ex. Sunday, arr only.9:00 pm
No. 66 Sunday only, leaves.....7:43 am
No. 68 Sund. y only, arr. only.....9:55 pm

DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14th, 1903.

No. Going South.
1 Daily except Sunday..... 2:15 p.m.
3 Daily except Sunday..... 6:00 a.m.
21 Sunday only ..... 2:15 p.m.
23 Sunday only, arrives.....11:50 p.m.

Going North.
2 Daily except Sunday.....10:55 a.m.
4 Daily except Sunday, Arr. 8:25 p.m.
22 Sunday only, arrives.....10.55 a.m
4 Sunday only, departs.... 5:45 a.m

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 23 and 24 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.

L. E. & W.

No. West.
1 Daily, leaves ..... 9:55 a.m.
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23 p.m.
3 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:30 a.m.

East
8 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:00 a.m.
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:50 M.
2 Daily, leaves ..... 5:55 p.m.
12 Lake Spl., Sun only, Lv. 7:00 a.m.

P. F. W. & C.

In effect May 24th, 1903.
No. East.
24 Pgh. special, daily .....12:46 am
6 Pgh. & N. Y., daily ..... 7:15 am
36 Crestline accm., da. ex. Sun 9:05 am
30 Alliance accm., da. ex. Sun. 2:15 pm
22 Seashore Limited ..... 4:27 pm
8 Pgh. & N. Y., daily..... 9:30 pm
2 Limited Express, daily....11:07 pm

West
15 Chgo. & West, daily..... 1:53 am
23 Chgo. & West, daily.....10:24 am
30 Chgo. & West, da. ex. Sun. 9:28 am
9 Chgo. & West, daily..... 2:37 pm
35 Ft. Wayne accm. da. ex. Sun. 5:20 pm
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FICKLE

People Are Half Pagan Natives of Abysinia.

Morality Almost Unknown Among Them—Family Relation Is Changed at Will.

A recent murder near the sources of the Blue Nile has turned the eyes of Europe and America again toward half-Christian, half-pagan Abyssinia. While M. Dubois-Desaulle, a correspondent of the Figaro, was accompanying the expedition of W. N. McMillan, the American explorer, he was waylaid and killed. Two companions found the body, and tracked the murderer from village to village. The criminal, however, finally escaped, through the aid of fellow-natives and the connivance of a Dinkie chieftain.

The object of Mr. McMillan's expedition is to learn how much of the Blue Nile is navigable, so that, with the opening of the British built canal around the second cataract of the Nile in Egypt, the rich agricultural and mineral products of Central Abyssinia may be floated down to the Mediterranean. Mr. McMillan has dispatched messengers to procure the arrest of the murderer, and, in the meantime, the powers are awaiting developments. France has just slain several hundred Moroccans in punishment for a much less serious offense. Now, the question is: "What will she do with the Abyssinians?" As the head of the expedition is a St. Louis man, and his present position is not without grave danger, Washington, as well as Paris is interested.

Hard Fighters.

The disastrous defeat of Italy some time ago at the hands of King Menelik has warned Caucassian nations that the Abyssinian is not to be trifled with. Dwelling on a broad tableland some six thousand feet above the Red Sea, which lies to the eastward, and possessing a country as large as the states of New York and California combined, the Abyssinian has great natural advantages over an invading foe. Normally a coward, he can be aroused to a high pitch of ferocity, and fight with much the same frenzy as his Mahometan neighbor on the sea coast, the Somaliman.

Diplomacy therefore, is often far more potent in vanquishing the Abyssinian than gun powder. He is supremely volatile. Quick to anger, he is quicker to forgive and forget. Catch him in the right mood, and one may bend him to his will. This mercurial temperament crops out in a hundred various ways. In birth, marriage and even death, the Abyssinian betrays his fickle nature.

A husband who can afford the expense is thus continually adding to his household of wives. As soon as his favorite begins to pall on him, he deposes her for another. The new wife rules the house, dictates orders to the other wives, who, strange as it may seem, obey her without open remonstrance. If any of the former favorites ever cared for their lord, they soon cease to be jealous of his affections. They know, too, that the time will surely come when they will be turned out into the streets to look for another master.

Unhappy Women.

On a visit to Gondar, the capital of the province of Ambara, an American was awakened one morning by a chorus of feminine screams. He thought at first there was a massacre, and looking from his window, he saw half a hundred women running up and down the street.

"Who are these women?" he asked.

"They are the wives of the chief," was the complaisant answer.

"Is the chief dead?"

"Oh, no. He is only going to his summer home in the mountains. He has only left his wives behind. They weep now. Tomorrow they will laugh. They will find new masters."

The custom of discarding wives at random has practically destroyed the Abyssinian's idea of morality. Though devout in observing the mere forms of Christianity, in fasting nearly two-thirds of the year, and in giving to the priests, yet his social life is deeply debased. Chastity is said to be practically unknown. The word fraternity does not belong to the language. Most brothers are half brothers, embittered one toward the other by domestic quarrels.

Avarice of Natives.

Avarice is another besetting sin of the Abyssinian, and the saying is a common one even among his own race: "If he can't get more, an Abyssinian will sell his soul for a farthing."

The fascination for jewelry and beads is so irresistible to the native women that they hesitate at nothing to gain such coveted trinkets. A man will ask a stranger not only for money, but the cloak on his back or the shoes on his feet. When a child is born, and stretches out its tiny hand, its mother boasts to her neighbors that it is already asking for a present. One chief, after coveting almost everything valuable in his province, and obtaining the most that he wanted by command or seizure, died with these words on his lips:

"Bury me near the track of the great caravan, so my spirit can make the merchants pay me toll."—New York Tribune.

Dysentery Cured Without the Aid of a Doctor.

"I am just up from a hard spell of the flux," (dysentery) says Mr. T. A. Pinner, a well known merchant of Drummond, Tenn. "I used one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and was cured without a doctor. I consider it the best cholera medicine in the world." There is no need of employing a doctor when this remedy is used, for no doctor can prescribe a better medicine for bowel complaint in any form either for children or adults. It never fails and is pleasant to take. For sale by W. M. Melville, old postoffice corner.

FARLEY WAS NOT AIMLESS.

He Put a "Ringer" Under the Wire So Judges Say, and Want Him Brought Back.

Springfield, Ill., August 5.—A bitter fight against extradition was made by attorneys for Edward E. Farley, before Governor Yates today. Farley is charged by the Detroit Jockey club with having entered what is known as a "ringer" at the meeting of the club last June; that he entered a mare in a race as "Sarah Black," whereas the horse had been raced before under the name of "Aimless". Farley won a purse of $300 with his entry. Farley's attorneys claim that the offense with which Farley is charged is not extraditable.

Evil of Antipyrine.

The use of antipyrine for the relief and cure of headaches has a depressing influence on the heart, and causes a derangement of the kidneys. Krause's Headache Capsules contain no antipyrine, chloral, morphine or any injurious ingredient. They cure quickly and leave the head clear and cool. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Melville.

The "Idiot" Wanted Company.

Fillikins is not exactly the sort of man who would be described as really brave, and the other night when he woke up he felt a sad presentment that he was going to be really ill. The house was roused and the doctor sent for.

"Ha," said the latter, feeling his pulse and looking very grave, "any particular pain?"

"No," said Fillikins, weakly, "but—"

"Hh," said the man of medicine, "worse and worse. Made your will! Ha, you haven't! Well, you had better send for your lawyer. Any friends you'd like to see?"

"Why, doctor," groaned Fillikins in an agony of alarm, "do you really think I'm going to die?"

"No," said the doctor, "I can't find anything wrong with you at all, but I don't want to be the only man that's been made an idiot of tonight!"

Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility," writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by H. F. Vortkamp, druggist, corner of Main and North streets.

An Illustration That Failed.

"Pa, what's the difference between a statesman and a politician?"

"Oh, it's about the same as the difference between Governor Yates and—and—and, well, I can't think of the other fellows just now."—Chicago Record-Herald.

GREAT STUFF!

Honest, now, isn't it? We knew you would like it and now we want you to keep a bottle in the house and when you go away put one in your grip. Every time you get bilious or constipated and whenever you have a sick headache or a touch of indigestion—take a teaspoonful of

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin

Try it on the baby too—it will cry for more.

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Via Detroit Southern and B. and O. S. W., Thursday, July 30th, to Atlantic City, Cape May, Sea Isle, N. J., and Ocean City, Md. Tickets sold for trains of July 30th. Good returning for 12 days from date of sale. Only $14.00 for the round trip.

Columbus, O., and return, via Detroit Southern and Ohio Central lines. Thursday, July 30, 1903. Only $1.75 for the round trip. Special train will leave Wayne street station 6:50 a. m., arrive at Columbus, 9:45 a. m.

Special 12 day excursion to Northern Michigan resorts, Thursday, July 30, 1903, via Detroit Southern and Ann Arbor railroad. $6.00 for the round trip to Beulah and Frankfort, Mich. For full information call on agents of the Detroit Southern R. R.

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SUMMER EXCURSIONS.

Commencing June 1st, and continuing daily until Sept. 30th, the Erie railroad will sell low rate round trip tickets to Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Glenwood Springs, Colo., Ogden, Salt Lake City, El Paso, Tex., St. Paul and Minneapolis. Tickets good returning Oct. 31, 1903. For information, see your nearest Erie agent, or write,

W. S. MORRISON, T. P. A.
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A Physician Healed.

Dr. George Ewing, a practicing physician of Smith's Grove, Ky., for over thirty years, writes his personal experience with Foley's Kidney Cure: "For years I had been greatly bothered with kidney and bladder trouble and enlarged prostrate gland. I used everything known to the profession without relief, until I commenced to use Foley's Kidney Cure. After taking three bottles I was entirely relieved and cured. I prescribe it now daily in my practice, and heartily recommend its use to all physicians for such troubles. I have prescribed it in hundreds of cases with perfect success."

Many persons in this community are suffering from kidney complaint who could avoid fatal results by using Foley's Kidney Cure. Sold by H. F. Vortkamp.

CALIFORNIA SPECIAL.

The C. H. & D. Ry. official train to the national G. A. R. encampment at San Francisco will leave Lima at 8:50 a. m., August 11th.

Pullman and tourist cars through without change.

Rate $54.65.

For berths and further information apply to ticket agent, F. A. Burkhardt, or J. C. Winans, G. T. A., Ft. Wayne, Indiana.

AN ORDINANCE.

APPROPRIATING PROPERTY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WATER WORKS RESERVOIR FOR THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO.

Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Lima, Ohio, two-thirds of all the members elected thereto concurring as follows:

Section 1. That the following described property be, and the same is hereby appropriated to public use, for the purpose of constructing thereon a Water Works reservoir for the City of Lima, Ohio, situated in the County of Allen and State of Ohio, to-wit:

I. Tract No. 1, owned by I. E. Thayer.

A part of the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Three (3), south Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone at the southwest corner of said quarter section; thence east on the south line of said quarter section Fifteen and 10-100 (15.10) chains to a stone at the northeast corner of D. E. Fetter's land; thence north continuous with the east line of said D. E. Fetter, Two and 85-100 (2.85) chains; thence north Forty-nine (49) degrees, west Thirteen and 48-100 (13.48) chains to the center of the Lima and Sandusky road; thence southwestwardly along the center of said road, Five and 8-100 (5.08) chains to the west line of said quarter section; thence south on the west line of said quarter section Ten and 71-100 (10.71) chains to the place of beginning, containing Twelve and 68-100 (12.68) acres."

II. Tract No. 2, owned by D. O. Hadsell: "The Southeast corner of the northwest quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Three (3), south, Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone at the southeast corner of said quarter section; thence west on the south line of said quarter section, Fourteen and 9-100 (14.09) chains to the center of the Lima and Sandusky road; thence north Forty-two (42) degrees and Forty-five (45) minutes east along the center of said road Thirteen and 48-100 (13.48) chains; thence north Eighty-one (81) degrees east along the center of said road, Five and 3-100 (5.03) chains to the east line of said quarter section, thence south on the east line of said quarter section, Ten and 71-000 (10.71) chains to the place of beginning, containing nine and 62-100 (9.62) acres."

III. Tract No. 3, owned by D. E. Fetter: "The northwest part of southeast quarter, and the northeast part of the southwest quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Three (3), south, Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stone on the north line of said southeast quarter, Fifteen and 10-100 (15.10) chains east of the northwest corner thereof; thence south parallel with the west line of said quarter section, Nineteen and 17-100 (19.17) chains to the center of the Lima and Lafayette road; thence westwardly along the center of said road Fifteen and 10-100 (15.10) chains to the west line of said quarter section; thence south on the west line of said quarter section seven and 74-100 (7.74) chains; thence west parallel with the north line of said quarter section, Seven and 50-100 (7.50) chains; thence north seven and 94-100 (7.94) chains to the center of said Lima and Lafayette road; thence westwardly along the center of said road, Nine and 10-100 (9.10) chains to the center of the Lima and Sandusky road; thence north two (2) degrees east along the center of said Sandusky road, Twelve (12) chains; thence north Fifteen (15) degrees and Forty-five (45) minutes east, along the center of said road to the north line of the southwest quarter of said section; thence east on said half section line, Twenty-nine and 57-100 (29.57) chains to the place of beginning, containing Sixty-four and 15-100 (64.15) acres."

IV. Tract No. 4, owned by Elizabeth Sproul and Mattie White: "Part of the southeast quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Three (3), south, Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the west line of said quarter section where the same is intersected by the center line of the Lima and Lafayette road; thence south on the west line of said quarter section Two and 72-100 (2.72) chains; thence eastwardly parallel with the center line of said road Five and 7-100 (5.07) chains; thence northeastwardly Four and 55-100 (4.55) chains to the center line of said road; thence Westwardly along the center line of said road Eight and 79-100 (8.79) chains to the place of beginning, containing One and 57-100 (1.57) acres."

V. Tract No. 5, owned by Jacob E. Fetter: "Part of the southwest quarter of Section Twenty-three (23), Township Three (3), south, Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the center line of the Lima and Lafayette road Seven and 50-100 (7.50) chains West of the East line of said quarter section; thence South Two and 27-100 (2.27) chains; thence Westwardly parallel with the center line of said road Six and 36-100 (6.36) chains to the center line of what is known as the "Clemenger Lane," said lane being the roadway leading from the Fetter Brother's stone quarry to the Lima and Lafayette road thence Northeastwardly along the center line of the Lima and Lafayette road; thence Eastwardly along the center line of said road Five and 91-100 (5.91) chains to the place of beginning, containing One and 40-100 (1.40) acres."

VI. Tract No. 6, owned by Fetter Brothers: "Part of the southwest quarter of Section Twenty-three (23) Township Three (3), south, Range Seven (7), east, Allen County, Ohio, and described more particularly as follows to-wit: Beginning at point in the center line of the Lima and Lafayette road Thirteen and 41-100 (13.41) chains west of the east line of said quarter section, said point being at the center line of what is known as the "Clemenger Lane," which is the roadway leading from said road to the Fetter Brother's stone quarry; thence southwestwardly along the center line of said lane two and 27-100 (2.27) chains; thence West parallel with the center line of the Lima and Lafayette road to the center of the Ottawa river; thence Northeastwardly along the center of said river to the center of said road; thence eastwardly along the center of said road One and 90-100 (1.90) chains to the place of beginning, containing 47-100 (0.47) of an acre."

Section 2. That the Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to apply to a Court of competent jurisdiction, to have a jury impanelled to make inquiry into and assess the compensation to be paid for such property.

Section 3. That the cost and expense of said appropriation be paid out of the Water Works Extension Construction Fund.

Section 4. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
Passed August 3rd, 1903.
Approved August 4th, 1903.
Attest: O. J. ROSE,
Clerk of the Council.
THEO. D. ROBB,
Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio.
Publish Aug. 5&12

A RESOLUTION.

DECLARING IT NECESSARY TO IMPROVE PINE STREET IN THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO, FROM MARKET STREET TO RIVER BRIDGE BY GRADING, DRAINING, CURBING AND PAVING THE SAME.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That it is necessary to improve Pine street in the City of Lima, Ohio, from Market street to River Bridge by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same; and,

Be it further resolved that the City Engineer be, and he is hereby directed to prepare plans, specifications, estimates and profiles of the proposed improvement, showing the grade of the same with reference to the property abutting thereon, and file said plans specifications, estimates and profiles in the office of the Department of Public Service, where the same shall at all times be open to the inspection of all persons interested; and

Be it further resolved that the Clerk be, and he is hereby instructed and directed to cause this resolution to be published according to law.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
Passed August 3rd, 1903.
Approved August 4th, 1903.
Attest: O. J. ROSE,
Clerk of the Council.
THEO. D. ROBB,
Mayor of the City of Lima, Ohio.
Publish Aug. 5&12

AN ORDINANCE.

TO IMPROVE CIRCULAR STREET IN THE CITY OF LIMA, OHIO, FROM MAIN STREET TO WEST STREET, BY GRADING, DRAINING, CURBING AND PAVING THE SAME.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto concurring, as follows:

Section 1. That Circular street from Main street to West street, shall be improved by grading, draining, curbing and paving the same.

Section 2. That the grade of said street as improved shall be as follows: At Main St. 114.00 ft. Above Datum: Elizabeth St. 112.50 ft. & West St. 115.40 ft. above datum line; and that the grade of the curb on said street as improved shall be as follows: viz: The grade of the curb line shall be the same as the center of the street.

Section 3. The plans, specifications, estimates and profiles of the proposed improvement heretofore prepared by the Engineer, and now on file in the office of the department of Public Service, be, and the same are hereby approved.

Section 4. That the whole cost of said improvement, less one-fiftieth (1-50) of the whole cost and the cost of street intersections, shall be assessed by the foot frontage upon the following described lots and lands, to-wit: All lots and lands bounding and abutting upon the proposed improvement and upon both sides thereof, between Main street and West street, being the following lots and tracts of land:

Side of St.	Lot Nos.
North Side—Out-lots	Nos. 308, 309, 315 and 318.
South Side—Out-lots	Nos. 307, 310, 314, 317.

Which said lots and lands are hereby determined to be especially benefited by said improvement; and the cost of said improvement shall also include the expense of preliminary and other surveys and the printing and publishing of the notices, resolutions and ordinances required, and the serving of said notices; the cost of construction and all other necessary expenditures.

Section 5. That the assessments so to be levied shall be paid in ten annual installments, with interest on deferred payments at five per cent per annum; provided that the owners of any property assessed may, at his option, pay such assessment in cash, within thirty days from and after the passage of the assessing ordinance, in which case said cash assessment shall not include any item of interest upon bonds to be issued in anticipation of the collection of deferred installments of assessments.

Section 6. That bonds of the City of Lima, Ohio, shall be issued in anticipation of the collection of assessments by installment and in an amount equal thereto.

Section 7. That the remainder of the entire cost of said improvement, not specially assessed, including the cost of intersections and the damages awarded any owner of adjoining lands and interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of any such award, shall be paid out of special street improvement fund.

Section 8. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
Passed August 3rd, 1903.
Approved August 4th, 1903.
Attest: O. J. ROSE,
Clerk of the Council.
THEO. D. ROBB,
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AN ORDINANCE.

DETERMINING TO PROCEED WITH THE IMPROVEMENT OF PARK AVENUE FROM MARKET STREET TO THE SOUTH TERMINUS OF PARK AVENUE, BY GRADING IT TO THE ESTABLISHED GRADE.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Lima, State of Ohio, three-fourths of all the members elected thereto, concerning, as follows:

Section 1. That it is hereby determined to proceed with the improvement of Park avenue, from Market street to the south terminus of Park avenue, by grading the same to the established grade, in accordance with an ordinance to improve Park avenue in the City of Lima, Ohio, from Market street to the south terminus of Park avenue, by grading the same to the esablished grade, passed on the 29th day of June, 1903, and in accordance with the plans, specifications, estimates and profiles heretofore approved and now on file in the office of the department of Public Service, no claims for damages having been filed by any of the property owners whose property faces or abuts upon the proposed improvement.

Section 2. That the assessments to be levied for the cost and expense of said improvement, shall be paid in cash within thirty (30) days from and after the passage of the assessing ordinance; and, in case any assessment is not paid within thirty days after the passage of the assessing ordinance, then the same shall be certified to the County Auditor as required by law.

Section 3. That the following lots and lands shall be assessed for said improvement as above determined, to-wit: All lots and lands bounding and abutting upon the proposed improvement and upon both sides thereof, between Market street and the south terminus of Park avenue, which are the following lots and tracts of land, to-wit:

Side of St.	Lot Nos.
West side of street—	Lots 1193, 1194, 1195, 1196, 1197.
East side of street—	Lot 14 Barr's Extended addition.

Section 4. That the Board of Public Service be, and it hereby is authorized and directed to make and execute a contract for said improvement with the lowest and best bidder, according to law.

Section 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

GEO. L. NEWSON,
President of the Council.
Passed August 3rd, 1903.
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LEGAL NOTICE.

Elizabeth Morrison, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 23rd day of July A. D., 1903, Charles F. Morrison, filed his petition in the common pleas court of Allen county, Ohio, against said defendant, in case number 11565, praying for a divorce from said defendant, Elizabeth Morrison, on the grounds of gross neglect of duty and adultery and that she is required to make answer in said cause to said petition on or before the 3rd day of September, A. D. 1903, or judgment will be taken against her.

CHARLES F. MORRISON,
By J. D. Armstrong, His Attorney.
July 24-4wks

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FORMER LIMA MAN SUICIDES.

C. J. Bainer, Well-Known Railroader, Ends His Life in the South.

Mrs. Kate Bainer, a tenant of the third floor of the Union block, received a telegram from Shreveport, La., this morning, announcing the death of her youngest son, C. J. Bainer, a well known former railroad man of this city. Mrs Bainer is confined to her bed by a serious illness, and the sudden and unexpected announcement of her son's death, was a severe shock to her, and further the news was made doubly shocking by the telegram announcing that her son had committed suicide. The message was sent by the dead man's wife, and a reply was promptly sent by Mrs. Bainer requesting that the remains of her son be sent to this city, immediately.

Well Known Here.

"Cooney" Bainer was well known in this city. He and his mother and brother, J M. Bainer, lived for many years, on the south side, and the two sons were employed for a number of years on the L. E. & W, the deceased having served on that road both as a brakeman and as a switchman

J. M. Bainer, his older brother, was promoted to a conductor by O. W. Bell when the latter was superintendent of the Sandusky division. One night, while in charge of an east bound through freight train, his train broke in two near Beaver Dam, and in running forward over the train from the caboose, "Jack" fell off of the end of the second cut of cars, fell between the rails and narrowly escaped death. At the time Frank Strohl was braking behind for Bainer, and Strohl, seeing his conductor's

"Lamp" Disappear,

suddenly over the end of a box car, set the brakes as hard and fast as he could and probably saved the conductor's life, although the latter was seriously injured and was never again able to resume the duties of a conductor. He afterwards took a position as a fireman in the local yards of the L. E. & W., and was in time promoted to the position of a yard engineer and remained with the company in this capacity for several years. He is now employed at Cleveland and was wired today concerning his brother's death.

Shortly after the accident befel his brother, "Cooney" Bainer left the service of the L. E. & W, and was for some time employed on the Detroit & Lima Northern road. About five years ago he went to the South and secured a position as a conductor on a road running out of Shreveport, La, and two years ago married his second wife in that city. No reason for his taking his own life is known here.

PIPE

Rolled Under His Feet

AndThrewHim

From the Rapidly Moving Train.

Brakeman Bert Cutlip, of the L. E. & W. Severely Injured.

Brought Home From Muncie Hospital This Morning With an Injured Hip—Items of Railroad Doings.

Bert Cutlip, a well known young man who has recently been employed as a brakeman on the L. E. & W, was the victim yesterday, of an accident, that results of which will keep him from his duties for some time

Cutlip was braking on a freight run on the west end of the local division and was walking over the top of the train as it was running along at a good rate of speed, a few miles west of Muncie, when the accident occurred As he was crossing a gondola that was loaded with drive-pipe one of the pipes rolled under his feet and he was thrown off the car He landed in the ditch at one side of the road with violent force and sustained severe injuries to his right hip, together with a general shaking up and numerous sprains and bruises.

The injured man was removed to a hospital in Muncie, where his injuries were attended by a company surgeon and this morning, he was brought to this city on east bound passenger train No 8. He was removed to his home at 708 south Union street, in Jones & Williams' ambulance

New Rapid Telegraph.

A new invention relating to rapid telegraphy is undergoing a practical test, the results of which should receive due consideration in the United States, reports Consul Mason from Berlin The system is known as the Pollak Virag rapid telegraph, and after a careful examination at the Polytechnic institute at Charlottenburg it was shown to the emperor and empress of Germany about the middle of last February. It was decided at this visit by the chief of the German postal system and other influential persons that the new system would be given a practical test on the line between Berlin and Konigsberg, which is some 710 kilometers (447½ miles) long. The results obtained with the new system are considered most satisfactory, as it has been demonstrated that 4,000 words per hour can be transmitted under the most varying conditions. The imperial telegraph service has decided to introduce the system on the busy line between Berlin and Frankfort.

Prevents Collision.

A recent newspaper dispatch quoted in the Electrical Age, states that Sherman Hobson, a railroad man of Pueblo, Col, has just perfected an appliance which, if all proves true that is claimed for it by its inventor, will greatly reduce railroad collisions and save thousands of lives annually "The new appliance is a sort of looking-glass, to be hung on each side of an engine to enable the engineer and fireman to see the roadbed for six miles in front and in the rear. The chief value of the invention is that it does not make any difference if the road is curved or straight. The instrument works on the principle of a mirage, and it has been named by its inventor, the miragescope It has been tested from Denver to Grand Junction on the Denver and Rio Grande and the Colorado Midland, and also passed favorable tests on the Colorado Southern and Missouri Pacific"

C. H. & D. is Now Owner.

Advices from New York are to the effect that the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road has acquired full control of the Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western road, which was wrested from the Woodford party through foreclosure proceedings several months ago The road was sold several weeks ago to satisfy the claims of the plaintiffs and it was bid in by the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton. The transaction at New York was merely the completion or confirmation of that deal.

MAYOR'S COURT.

"Clothes-line" Kennedy Was Fined One and Costs.

Martin Costello Given a Hearing and Dismissed—South Side Boys Discharged.

The only prisoner fined in mayor's court today was "Clothes-line" Kennedy who was arraigned on a charge of drunkenness and disorderly conduct. He was assessed $4 60 for his escapade

Martin Costello, who was arrested for interfering with officer Fenstemaker when the latter was arresting a tramp Saturday night, was given a hearing this morning and although he was dismissed without sentence the officer who made the arerat was vindicated by the mayor

The three boys—Moran, De Long and Hall—who were arersted for shooting inside the corporation, were dismissed last evening.

FOR A SHORT TIME ONLY, WE WILL SELL THE FAMOUS XXX CREAMERY BUTTER FOR 25c PER POUND. EVERY POUND IS GUARANTEED TO BE THE FINEST THAT CAN BE PRODUCED. DIMOND BROS., 109 N. MAIN ST. BRANCH CORNER WAYNE AND BAXTER STREETS. 53-2t.

SOMETHING

More Than Is on the Surface

Appears in the McDorman Divorce Proceedings.

Allegations May Be Made Which Would Lead to an Investigation by the Prosecuting Attorney.

If statements made to Judge Mathers in the McDorman divorce proceedings, can be substantiated, there will probably be developments which may lead to criminal prosecution. On Monday of this week, the petition of R D. McDorman, asking for a divorce, on the ground of desertion, was filed by attorney Kilgore, and among the allegations, charging gross neglect of duty, the statement was made that the wife left home when their only child was four months old, and the babe was deserted as well as the husband.

J. D. Armstrong, who has been retained to defend Mrs. McDorman, made a plea for alimony while the case is pending, and the court allowed the defendant the sum of $2.50 per week What promised at first to be merely a divorce suit, where a statement of facts on the part of the husband substantiated by reliable witnesses, would have given the plaintiff the decree prayed for, now approaches very near to a violation of the criminal law, and promises developments of a decidedly sensational nature

Judge Mathers has been advised of an unusual state of affairs, which would prompt the court to order an investigation, and if the allegations can be proven, the chances of a decree being granted on the petition are not only decidedly slim, but may have the effect of a boomerang. It is not likely that the case will be brought to an issue before the fall term of court, but if it comes to trial, and the defendant brings in the witnesses to prove what may be contained in an answer and cross petition, there will be offered in evidence the most sensational, as well as the most unnatural charges, which have figured in divorce proceedings since the first docket was started.

Nothing Doing.

County clerk Edwards and his deputies are having plenty of leisure time to get the "hang of the business" for just now there is a lull which the attorneys have taken advantage of, and there hasn't been a new case filed since Monday

Real Estate Transfers.

D. C. Dunn to Mary and John Montague, inlot 2069, Hughes' first addition. $1600.

Byron A. Roloson to John F. Lindemann, inlot 173, Delphos, $500

Louella Hubbard to David C. Dunn, east half of inlot 1695, Jameson's second addition, $1,000

James N Polick to F B. and F. J. Stockler, inlot 5706, Himes' addition, $275.

Sarah M. Michia to Mella Davis, lot 27, Gomer, $685

Hannah Williams to Ebenezer F Davies, south half of lots 12 and 13, Gomer, $1200

CONTRACT

For Paving of Sugar Alley Awarded Today.

Alley Will Be Paved From Public Square to Elizabeth Street With Logan Block.

This morning, the Board of Public Service awarded to contractor T J Mulligan, a contract for the paving of Sugar alley from the Public square to Elizabeth street Logan block with a 6 inch foundation of concrete and sand filled will be used on the improvement.

Bids for this work were advertised for some time ago, and Mr. Mulligan's proposal was the only one received. The Board laid the matter over for some time on account of the aggregate amount of Mr Mulligan's bid being $179.35 in excess of the engineers' approximate estimate, but as prices on paving materials are steadily increasing and the improvement is badly needed it was decided to award the contract to the only bidder. The estimated cost of the improvement aggregated $1,385, and Mr. Mulligan's bid aggregates $1,564.35.

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING.

Nothing but the very best of everything the markets afford, at the Oak restaurant and dining room. Fresh lobsters. Creamery butter always. 53-6t.

DANCE HALL

And Auditorium Provided by J. O. Ohler.

A Contract Awarded for the Remodeling of Old Electric Power Station.

J. O. Ohler, has awarded a contract to Jesse Clark, contractor and builder, for the proposed remodeling of the south portion of the old electric power station, which is situated immediately west of the opera house stage entrance between north Cherry alley and Elizabeth street.

The building is to be converted into the largest and finest dance hall and auditorium that the city has ever had and which it now greatly needs. The floor space will be nearly 50 by 100 feet in size and above this at one end and on two sides of the interior, a balcony, with a capacity to accommodate 700 people, will be built In addition to this, parlors and toilet rooms will be provided on the north side of the main room. A covered entrance, 10 feet in width will be built from Elizabeth street to the west end of the building, and large double doors will afford exits either into Cherry alley or to Elizabeth street.

In addition to affording a fine dance hall and a place for the holding of conventions and other large gatherings, the new auditorium will be used during the winter months to promote proper indoor athletics. The contract requires that the improvement shall be completed by October 1.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. A. Fischer, an electrician, of Lima, is working on the city plant temporarily and will probably remain until Mr. Diehl, the new superintendent is able to report for duty.—St. Marys News.

Miss Gertrude Marshall, of south Pine street, is spending her vacation in Detroit

Mrs. Brotherton and daughter Roberta, have taken a suite of apartments in the Bourquin block.

Mrs. E S Moses, of south West street, entertained at six o'clock dinner last night, the Misses Mary Barge and Cora Davies, two of the efficient nurses at the city hospital.

Mrs. J. F. Hutchins of north Metcalf street, is entertaining her two neices, the Misses Anna and Jennie Doran, and their friend, Miss Minnie Falls, of Cincinnati.

F. L. Emick and family, of 222 north West street, are removing to Findlay.

Mr and Mrs R W Melly of 329 north West street, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs H. L .Cooper at Morgan Park, Ill

Mrs Mary Bourk has returned from Spencerville, Ohio, after a pleasant visit with her son, Henry Bourk and family

Mrs. E D. Le Clare and three children, of Baker City, Oregon, have arrived to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. P. Reilley, of south Main street

Miss Drucilla Reilly, of south Main street, has returned from an extended visit in New York and Boston.

A E. Scheithe and family of south Collet street are visiting in Erie, Pa.

C W Baxter and family, of west High street, are visiting friends in Forest, Ohio.

Rev J A O'Connor is the guest today of Rev. P. J. Quin in Van Wert.

Mr G E. Baughman, agent for Prudential Insurance Co, was called to Dunkirk on account of the death of his wife's father.

T. J Curtin is in Van Wert on business, which will detain him for a few days.

Mrs L J. Cox and daughters—Irene and Nellie, of south Main street, are visiting her brother, N. F McNamel and family, of Forest, Ill.

Mrs. Wm. Striff and children, of Prairie Depot, are visiting John Striff and family of west Vine street.

Miss Lillian McKinney left today for Colorado and other points in the west Mr and Mrs F T Cunningham, of Ada, accompanied her.

FOR SALE.

A COUNTRY PLACE OF 85 ACRES, PRICE $9,000.00, 2½ MILES FROM PUBLIC SQUARE, NEW AND MODERN RESIDENCE OF 12 ROOMS, HOT AND COLD WATER, CELLAR, ETC. STABLES FOR 15 HEAD OF STOCK. POULTRY YARDS, AND TENEMENT HOUSE WITH BARN. FRESH RUNNING SPRINGS AND A MOST DESIRABLE HOME, ALSO PLENTY OF FRUIT. TERMS OF SALE MADE KNOWN UPON APPLICATION TO W. H. LEETE, 56½ PUBLIC SQUARE. 53-2t

WANTED.

15 or 20 barrels production. Address E. F. R. Times-Democrat office. 53-3t.

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HERE IS AN INTERESTING BARGAIN LIST.

Goods That Are Good--Much Under Price.

12½c and 15c White Goods at	9c
25c Fancy White Goods at	16c
39c Mercerized White Goods at	25c
50c Mercerized White Goods at	39c
75c Mercerized White Goods at	50c
35c and 39c White Piques at	25c
50c Black Mercerized Waistings at	29c
25c Black Lace Stripe Waistings at	19c
12½c Black Lace Stripe Waistings at	9c
$2.98 Child's Trimmed Hats at	98c

Big Bargains in Infants' Washable Caps.

98c, $1.25 and $1.50 Best White Waists at	69c
High class White Waists down to	98c and $1.50
White fine Jap Silk Waists reduced to	2.98
Beautiful Walking Skirts, $6.50 and $7.50 values at	5.00
Walking Skirts in the new mannish mixtures at	3.98
$1.25 Fancy Parasols at	50c
$1.50 and $1 98 Fancy Parasols at	75c
$2.50 and $2.98 Parasols at	98c
$3.98 and $4.50 Parasols at	$1.50
Children's Parasol Bargain at 15c, 25c and	39c
$1.50 and $1.75 Gloria Silk Umbrellas at	1.19
$1.98 and $2.50 Taffeta Silk Umbrellas at	1.48
$3.98 to 6.50 fine Silk Umbrellas at	2.98
Colored Silk Umbrella Bargains at	$1.98 and $2.50
25c value, wide plain and fancy Ribbons, in all the popular colors, very special	15c
39c changeable 5 inch Liberty Satin Ribbons	25c
25c value 3½ inch Liberty Satin Ribbons	19c
39c value 5 inch Liberty Satin Ribbons	29c
50c grade Fancy Wash Sash Ribbons	39c

25c White Lace and plain Lisle Gloves at	15c
50c Black Silk Gloves in small sizes, at	25c
50c and 75c White Lace Lisle Gloves at	35c
$1.00 and $1.25 White and Black Silk and Lisle Lace Gloves at	50c
75c and $1.00 Black and White Silk Lace Mitts at	50c
$2 00 Black and White Long Silk Lace Mitts at	$1.75
$1.50 Black and White Long Silk Lace Gloves at	1.00
$3.00 Black and White Long Lace Gloves at	2.00
Ladies Black Lace Hose, special values at 25c, 39c and	50c
Men's Black Cotton Sox, 19c value, special sale	12½c
25c Ladies' Satin Band Hose Supporters, all colors	15c
50c and 75c Satin Band Hose Supporters at	25c
15c and 50c light weight Dress Shields, special at	10c
50c Men's Night Robes at	39c
75c and 98c Men's Night Robes at	59c
35c Men's Ribbed Drawers, in small sizes, at	15c
50c and 75c Children's White Lisle Union Suits at	25c
98c Ladies' Ecru Lisle Union Suits at	50c
39c and 50c Ladies' Ecru Vests, Drawers or Union Suits at	25c
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